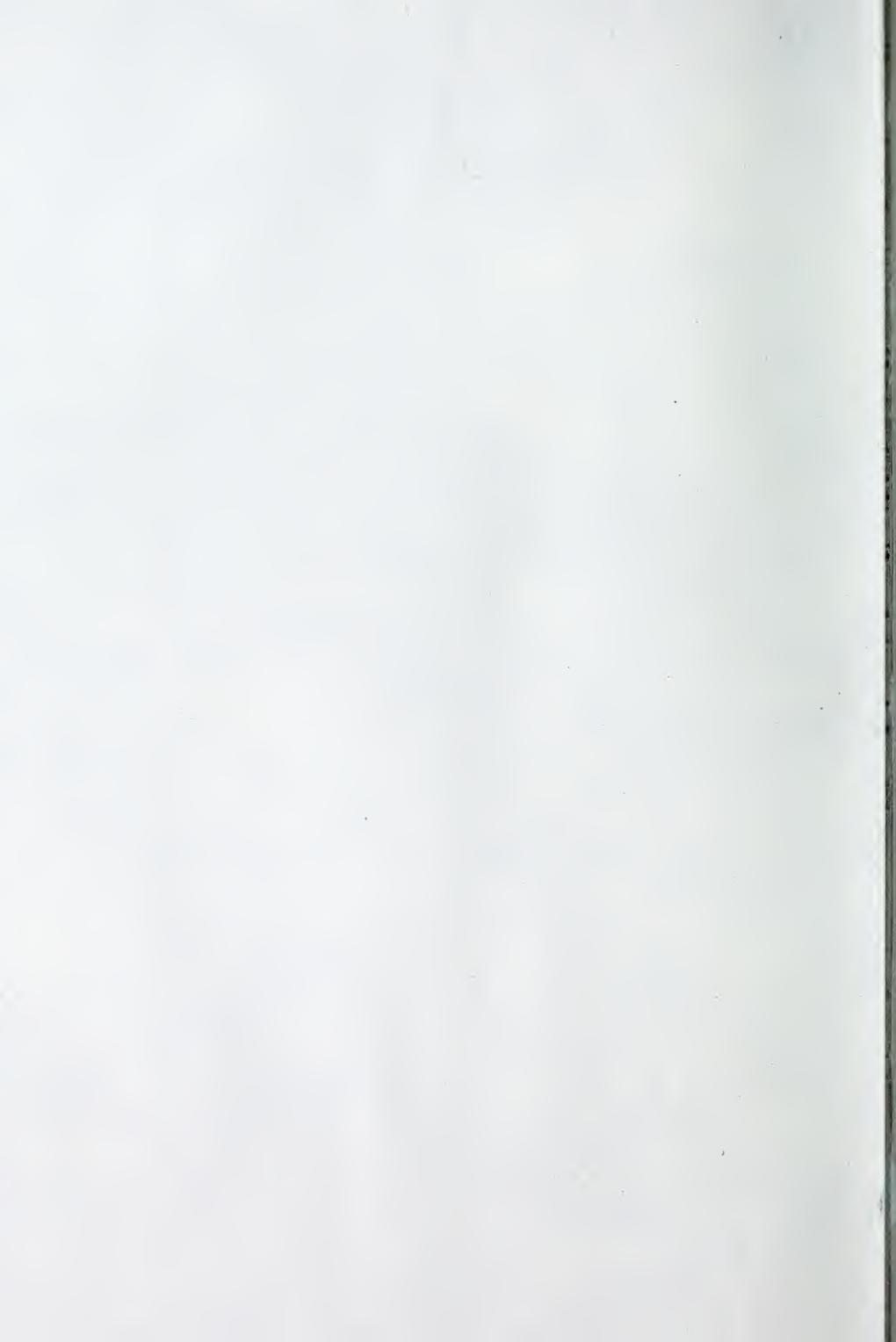




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OF THE

# Town of Sanford

From Feb. 23, 1882, to Feb. 23, 1883,

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# SELECTMEN'S REPORT

**FOR THE LAST YEAR 1882,-'83.**

## INCIDENTAL.

Paid Geo. E. Allen, auditing Town accts. in Feb. 1882,	\$ 5 00
C O. Frost, damage to sleigh caused by defect in highway, District No. 17,	3 00
A. J. Smith, damage to land by washout in highway, District No. 7,	15 00
Hoyt, Fogg & Donham, books for Selectmen's office in 1881,	31 00
Hoyt, Fogg & Donham, books for Selectmen's office in 1882,	7 50
W. A. Allen, books, printing etc, for Selectmen's office,	29 00
W. A. Allen, printing check list,	10 00
E. O. Lord, printing town reports,	35 00
Jas. L. Tripp, services after settlement,	10 60
E. F. Lord, " " "	7 00
Moses Jellerson, " " "	10 50
H. J. Stone, advertising non-resident taxes;	6 00
Thos. Slater, injuries received by defect in highway, District No. 7,	50 00
C. O. Emery, stationery, etc, for Treasurer's office,	2 00
C. O. Emery, services as Treasurer for 1882,	30 00
C. O. Emery, " Supervisor " "	93 97
E. M. Goodall, services as Selectman, Assessor, and Overseer of Poor,	75 00
J. B. Clark, services as Selectman, Assessor, and Overseer of Poor,	75 00
J. B. Clark, postage, stationery, etc.,	2 00
Porter Hobbs, services as Collector for 1881,	100 00
Porter Hobbs, services as Town Agent for 1882,	3 00
Porter Hobbs, postage, stationery, etc,	11 50
J. G. Wilkinson, services as Selectman, Assessor, and Overseer of Poor,	50 00
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	\$662 07

## TOWN FARM.

W. A. Ricker, supplies for Town Farm after settlement,	\$28 21
Paid Samuel Guptill, balance for service on Town Farm,	125 00
W. I. Philpot, labor and stock furnished for whitening walls at town farm,	11 25
O. R. Willard, cattle for town farm,	164 00
E. M. Goodall, supplies furnished town farm,	32 16
Mrs. Gillis, nursing sick on town farm,	15 00
E. S. Wright, 2 pigs for town farm,	7 00
Orin Roberts, shoeing oxen and repairs on farm,	6 72
Chas. H. Frost, supplies furnished town farm,	8 25
S. B. Emery, iron bedsteads for town farm,	134 70
Sam'l Gowen, grafting fruit trees on town farm,	1 50
B. F. Hanson, grass seed, phosphate, etc., for town farm,	17 13
B. F. Hanson, for 16 1-4 cords wood for farm,	36 55
Kimball Bros. & Co., supplies for town farm,	223 52
E. G. Murray, goods for town farm,	1 75
	812 74
Due General Bean for carrying on farm,	206 25
The following amount has been paid to Treasurer from the proceeds of the farm.	
For oxen sold to Howe & Beal,	85 00
" " " " Otis R. Willard,	170 00
" apples " " B. F. Hanson,	53 75
	308 75

The expenses on the farm have been heavy the past year, owing to the drought the crops were small and not as much produce was turned in to offset the store bill as there otherwise would have been. The Selectmen have put in 12 new iron bedsteads in place of the old cord ones, thereby ensuring freedom from vermin. The old iron knives, forks and spoons have been replaced with plated ware at an expense of \$ 24 76 and marked

"TOWN OF SANFORD". A good supply of crockery and glass ware has also been added.

There are now on the farm, 3 cows, 4 shoats, 12 hens, 8 tons of hay, 1 bushel of good beans, 1 1-2 bushels poor beans left over from last year, 45 lbs. dried apples, 1-2 bbl of soap, 30 bushels potatoes, 2 1-2 bbls. cider, 3 bbls. vinegar, 3-4 bbl. of good pork, 1 bushel onions, 11 bushels carrots, 1-2 bbl. of flour, 25 lbs. lard, 20 quilts, 20 comforters, 38 sheets, 40 pillow cases, 10 blankets, 11 beds, 23 pillows, 12 iron bedsteads, 3 table cloths, 6 roller towels, 15 1-2 cords wood, fitted for the stove, and a *good* supply of crockery ware, etc.

The following persons are now on the farm, viz:

Abbie Littlefield, aged, as near as we can learn, 81 years, Eleanor Paul, 80; Forest Storer, 82; Mrs. Forest Storer, 66; Fred H. Henderson, 23; Johnny Carty, 7; Charlie Carty, 5; and James Tibbetts, 77.

Fannie Hatch was on the town farm five months, Alex. Duval, (Canadian) six weeks, Mrs Horace Taylor and two children, six weeks, Mrs. Eunice Joy, six weeks, Mrs. Thomas Mayers was sick with typhoid fever at the farm six weeks, which added considerably to the expenses.

There were 14 tramps accommodated at the farm, with supper, lodging and breakfast, by order of the Selectmen.

It seems too bad to send tramps to the farm for lodgings, as very often they are covered with filth and vermin. If there were lockups at Springvale village and Sanford Corner, they could be accommodated without thrusting them on to the farm.

## PAUPER EXPENSES.

Paid W. A. Ricker supplies furnished Mrs. Peters. (Warren pauper)	\$ 3 25
E. F. Lord fare of Mrs. Peters (Warren pauper) to warren Me..	12 00
Maine Insane Hospital board of Sam. W. Clayton	205 53
Maine Insane Hospital board of Nathan Goodwin to March 1st 1882,	234 14
J. B. Andrews, medical attendance on the family of Hiram Cheney, (Wells pauper)	12 00
Maine Insane Hospital, board & clothing for Nathan Goodwin from Feb. 28th 1882, to Dec. 1st 1882,	88 73
E. B. Moulton wood furnished Mrs. Berry, 1881, Town of Guilford, provisions etc. furnished H. D. Adkins, 1882,	3 00 45 91
J. B. Clark, fare & expenses going to Augusta after Samuel W. Clayton,	13 05
W. O. Hanson, keeping pauper over night in January 1881, by order of E. F. Lord,	1 25
E. Page, medicine furnished Mrs. Reuben Hill.	5 60
E. G. Murray, moving Reuben Hill & family to Great Falls.	7 80
Cha's Lucier, board of Alex Duval.	15 00
E. G. Murray, 3 teams to So, Berwick by order of E. F. Lord,	9 00
E. G. Murray, goods furnished Joseph Demard.	9 00
J. Wilkinson, expenses to Portland after Fred Henderson,	5 05
	670 31

To offset the above are the following items:-

Received from E. F. Lord for orders cashed in favor of Maine Insane Hospital and money not sent,	\$219 25
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From the State on account of S. W. Clayton, he being a foreigner and not chargeable to the town,	205 53
From the town of Wells, account of Hiram Cheney,	12 00
Due from the town of Warren, account of Mrs. Peters,	<u>15 25</u>
	452 08

Actual amount paid out by the town for its poor outside of the town farm, \$218 28

Included in the above, is the board of Nathan Goodwin at the Insane Hospital from June 1st 1881. to Dec. 1st 1882, and the Adkins account of \$45 91, leaving the expenses for the fiscal year ending Feb. 23d. 1883, at less than \$200 00.

There is due F. L. Durgin M. D., for services as town physician, \$35 00.

#### ROADS.

We have expended on the roads the past Summer, for which orders have been drawn as worked by the several District surveyors with extra money ordered by the Selectmen as follows:

District No. 1,	Wm. F. Hanson, Surveyor,	\$105 62
2,	Moses H. Libby,	58 50
3,	Clinton Day,	45 86
4,	C. A. Bodwell,	33 72
5,	Otis R. Libby,	42 60
6,	Dana Merrifield,	126 35
7,	Albert J. Smith	57 23
8,	Geo. F. Allen,	57 11
9,	Jeremiah L. Moulton,	63 17
10,	Geo. Gowen,	47 03
11,	John Tibbetts,	14 06
12,	Alfred K. Ridley,	89 18
13,	Hosea Willard,	99 71
14,	Luther Plummer,	48 15
15,	Elihu Parsons,	78 92
16,	J. M. Ricker,	18 12

17,	John Lord,	"	27 38
18,	Moses Plummer,	"	29 36
19,	Jacob H. Ellis,	"	25 88
20,	Nathaniel F. Hurd,	"	33 54
21,	James L. Tripp,	"	40 59
22,	Albert L. Jacobs,	"	31 76
23,	Jacob Morrison,	"	43 81
24,	Moses Jellerson,	"	12 30
25,	Nathan D. Jones,	"	46 39
26,	Hiram Davis,	"	16 90
27,	Charles Butler,	"	47 11
28,	Wm. Russell,	"	60 79
29,	Wm. Henry Nason,	"	33 14
30,	Freeman Goodwin,	"	82 67
31,	Joseph Howe,	"	70 76
32,	Frank Hurd,	"	21 25
33,	Joseph Ridley,	"	31 50
34,	J. F. Twombley,	"	23 54
35,	Lorenzo Dow,	"	42 35
36,	C. O. Emery,	"	18 40
37,	John Morrison,	"	41 15
38,	Simon Goodwin,	"	31 78
			1797 68

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### ROADS AND BRIDGES.

The following is the amount paid out to keep the Bridges and Roads in repair, not laid out by the Surveyors:—

Paid E. B. Moulton, Stringers for Butler Bridge and work on same,	\$53 50
Jere. L. Moulton for work, material, and cash paid for labor on Butler Bridge,	52 84
John Lord, rails for Butler Bridge,	3 00
Lewis Moulton, plank for Power's and Butler's Bridges,	82 86

Simon Goodwin, work done on Power's Bridge,	20 00
Sanford Mills, stringers for Hay Brook bridge and iron posts for Power's and Butler's bridges,	9 18
Frank S. Beal, work on Springvale bridge,	3 90
Geo. H. Chick, railing for Springvale bridge,	6 00
Joseph S. Howe, work on Springvale bridges,	7 88
F. Jordan & Co., lumber furnished for town bridges,	9 19
Nahum Day, plank and posts for culvert in Dis- trict No. 3,	2 95
S. D. Tibbetts, work on road in Summer of 1881,	3 00
S. D. Tibbetts, gravel for highway in 1881,	10 00
S. D. Tibbetts, shoveling snow in 1881,	2 00
Alden Quint, work on road in Sept. 1880,	2 40
Loami Taylor, work on road by order of Selectmen,	4 50
Jas. A. Lord, work on road by order of Selectmen,	4 50
W. H. Brown, work on road in 1881,	4 00
W. H. Brown, carting stone for culvert,	5 50
Otis R. Willard, plank for Willard's bridge,	34 44
E. G. Murray, nails for Springvale bridge,	1 47
S. Poindexter, work on highway in Dist. No. 16,	
Winter of 1881 & '82,	1 25
Frank Hurd, cutting bushes in Dist. No. 12,	4 00
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	328 36

Amount raised by town for repairs of roads and bridges,	2500 00
Amount expended,	2126 04
Balance unexpended,	373 96

It will be seen by the above account that there remains a large sum unexpended. The Selectmen saved back what in their judgement would be a sum of money large enough to repair what washouts might occur by the Fall rains, but as we had none of any consequence, the money remains in the hands of the Treasurer.

We have in conjunction with the town of Alfred, built over the Hay Brook bridge near the brick yard, putting in new

stringers. The Butler bridge has been built over, putting in new stringers, and covered with new plank. The Powers bridge has been recovered with new plank, and new plank bought for the Willard bridge, but owing to the coming of snow, was not put on.

#### BREAKING OF ROADS.

We have expended in breaking roads for the Winter of 1881 & '82, and drawn orders for the same,— \$1108 33

For the present winter we have expended as near as we can learn from the several surveyors, \$950 00

#### ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Paid Eugene C. Perkins, 1881,	\$3 00
Samuel E. Nowell, poll tax for 1881 & '82,	4 00
Jotham K. Moulton, abatement of taxes for 1874, having paid them twice,	5 00
C. O. Emery in settlement of Simon Tibbetts, Treasurer's account outlawed,	35 39

#### TAXES ABATED TO PORTER HOBBS.

John W. Frost,	Poll tax 1880,	.2 00
Charles Aslel,	" 1881,	"
William Gerry,	" "	"
Edmund F. Goodwin,	" "	"
Wm. B. Gowen, moved out of town 1881,	3 04	
John Hayes,	poll tax for 1881,	2 00
Frank Hayes,	" "	"
Frank Lougee,	" "	"
John Mercier,	" "	"
Charles F. Merrill,	" "	"
Ansel Morrison,	" "	3 04

Orrin Perkins,	"	"	3 48
James Staples,	"	"	86
Charles Young,	"	"	2 00
			<hr/> 30 42

ABATEMENT made to PORTER HOBBS,  
Feb. 23d, 1883, on assessment of 1882.

Chas. Butler,	error on tax of 1882,	\$4 57
Joseph H. Bartlett,	poll tax of "	2 00
John Blake,	" "	2 00
Geo. H. Bernet,	" "	2 00
C. F. Bennett,	" "	2 00
Willie Bean,	" "	2 00
Nathaniel Butler,	" "	2 00
Joseph Burke,	" "	2 00
Abraham Burke,	" "	2 00
Mami Burke,	" "	2 00
Louis Barron,	" "	2 00
S. B. Dorr,	" "	3 20
Ezra Gerry,	" "	2 40
Wm. Gerry	" "	2 00
Octavius A. Goodwin,	" "	2 00
Edmund F. Goodwin,	" "	2 00
Wm. B. Gowen,	" "	2 96
Jas. A. Gillis,	" "	2 00
Benj. Y. Hobbs,	" "	2 00
John Hayes,	" "	2 00
Simon N. Ricker,	" "	2 00
Wm. S. Rice & Co.,	" "	9 60
Wm. Nason,	" "	2 00
Brackett Sherbourne,	" "	2 00
Melvin Stiles,	" "	2 00
L.Sherbourne,	" "	2 00
Curtis C. Taylor,	" "	2 00

Geo. H. Trafton,	"	"	2 00
Miles Winn,	"	"	2 00
Wm. Welch,	"	"	2 00
Lewis Chadbourn,	"	"	2 80
Fenderson & Allen,	"	"	4 16
Gilbert G. Littlefield,	"	"	2 00
Orrin Perkins,	"	"	3 84
Oscar Ham,	"	"	2 00
James S. Hayes,	"	"	2 00
Joseph Jellerson,	"	"	2 00
Willie O. Jones,	"	"	2 00
Joshua Littlefield,	"	"	32
Frank L. Lougee,	"	"	2 00
James W. Libby,	"	"	2 00
John D. Libby,	"	"	2 00
E. L. Low,	"	"	2 00
Sylvester Lord,	"	"	2 00
W. H. Mathews,	"	"	2 00
Albra Morrison,	"	"	2 00
Ansel Morrison,	"	"	2 00
Geo. Miller,	"	"	2 00
Irving Otis,	"	"	2 00
Enoch Perkins,	"	"	2 48
Warren H. Perkins,	"	"	2 00
Marshall S. Poindexter,	"	"	2 00
Wm. S. Rice,	"	"	4 64
Sam'l Ricker 2nd,	"	"	2 00
Marshall Weeks,	"	"	2 00
James H. Winkley,	"	"	2 00
Albert L. Willey,	"	"	2 00
Frank Wyman,	"	"	2 00
Wm. Winn,	"	"	2 00
Henry Walker,	"	"	2 00
Chas. Young,	"	"	2 00
J. N. Pillsbury,	"	"	2 00
Asa Shackley,	"	"	2 00

Sam'l Poindexter,	"	"	1 92
John W. Frost,	"	"	2 00
Betsey Gowen,	"	"	5 20
Chas. F. Merrill,	"	"	2 00
			\$156 09

## TOWN HALL.

Paid J. M. Clough for repairing stove,	\$2 00
E. P. Ross, glass for Hall.	2 40
W. A. Ricker, supplies for Hall,	3 26
S. B. Emery, balance due on settees,	21 00
	28 66
Rec'd for use of Hall,	\$47 55
Due town for use of Hall,	3 00
	50 55
Balance after paying expenses,	21 89

PORTER HOBBS in acct. with the TOWN OF SANFORD,

Dr.

1882.

Feb. 23,

To amount due town on settlement,	\$2000 00
" " of State tax committed,	2950 35
" " County " "	691 97
" " Town " "	6900 00
" " Overlay "	144 46
Supplementry tax	189 44
School fund & Mill tax,	1485 73
	14 361 95

PORTER HOBBS in acct with TOWN OF SANFORD Cr.

1882.

Aug. 14. By Treasurer's receipts for cash,	46 87
" " " " Orders returned,	822 88

"	"	"	" non-resident tax ret'd,	159 98
20.	"	"	" orders returned,	238 81
Dec. 18.	"	"	" orders and cash,	3308 47
1883.				
Feb. 16	"	"	" interest on Clark note,	20 00
"	"	"	" orders returned	1510 93
"	"	"	State Treasurer receipt for State tax,	2950 35
"	"	"	County " " County "	691 97
20.	"	Treasurer's receipt for cash,		126 00
23.	"	"	" orders ret'd,	2195 45
				\$12 071 71
Balance in hands of Porter Hobbs,				\$2 290 24

#### SCHOOL MONEY.

Amount of School money raised by town,	2200 00
Received from State School fund and mill tax,	1485 73
" " E. M. Goodall,	36 38
" " State, Railroad and Telegraph tax,	11 14
	3733 25

The following amount is credited the several School Districts not drawn:

District No. 1,	\$130 14
2,	64 27
3,	22 19
4,	42 71
7,	7 65
9,	3 31
10,	1 26
12,	16 00
13,	29 52
17,	13 93
18,	1 33
	\$332 31

C. O. EMERY, Treasurer in account with the TOWN OF  
SANFORD,

1882.

	Dr.
Feb. 23, To balance due town on settlement,	2351 03
Mar. 27, " error on interest on Clark note,	20 00
July 21, " Cash from Selectmen collected from E. F. Lord on town order cashed in favor of Insane Hospital and money not sent,	219 25
" Cash from Selectmen for oxen sold from town farm,	85 00
" State tax committed to Porter Hobbs,	2950 35
" County " " " "	691 97
" Town " " " "	6900 00
" Overlay " " " "	144 46
" Supplementary " " " "	189 44
" Cash from Selectmen for oxen sold from farm,	170 00
" Cash from Selectmen from town of Wells, account of H. Cheney,	12 00
" Cash from E. M. Goodall, account of School fund,	36 38
" Am't of School fund & Mill tax,	1485 78
" " R. R. & Telegraph tax from State,	25 61
" Cash from Selectmen for apples sold from town farm,	53 75
" Cash from State acct. of S. W. Clayton,	205 53
" Cash from Selectmen for town hall,	<u>47 55</u>
	<u>\$15 588 05</u>

C. O. EMERY, Treasurer, in account with the TOWN OF  
SANFORD,

Cr.

Dec. 27, 1882, By receipt for County tax,	691 97
" By receipt from Horace Witham, interest on note to June 1, 1882,	36 00

27.	" Orders this day returned & punched,	5223	13
Feb. 16. 1883, By receipt for state tax,		2950	35
20. By interest paid on Ivory Hatch note for two years up to June 1. 1882,		80	56
" " Interest on Clark note to July 11. 1882,		20	00
23. " Orders this day returned & punched,		4010	78
		\$13	012 79
Balance in hands of Treasurer,		\$2	575 26

## TOWN LIABILITIES.

Fed. 23. 1882, Due from town on outstanding orders,	644 44
Due Ivory Hatch Note,	1007 00
Interest on above Note,	30 20
" Horace Witham Note,	900 00
Interest on above Note,	27 00
" Porter Hobbs Note,	500 00
Interest on above Note,	12 48
" for breaking roads this winter,	950 00
" To the several school districts,	332 31
" Porter Hobbs, collector for 1882,	100 00
" General Bean for services on town farm,	206 25
" Maine Insane Hospital, acct. of Nat'n Goodwin,	25 00
	\$4734 68

## TOWN ASSETS.

Due town from C. O. Emery, Treasurer,	\$2575 26
" " " H. L. Gowen,	130 00
" " " Town of Warren,	15 25
" " for use of Town Hall,	3 00
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	\$2723 51

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Town of Sanford as shown me by the Selectmen and find them correct.

CHAS. O. EMERY 2nd, Auditor.

# Supervisor's Report in Sanford

## FOR THE LAST YEAR.

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### DISTRICT No. 1. ASA LOW, AGENT.

There are three schools in this District, the Primary, Intermediate and Grammar Schools, and three terms in each. The Spring term of the Grammar School was taught by John S. Frost, Mr. Frost has taught twenty three Schools before, and understands his business. The order was good and the scholars made commendable improvement.

The Fall and Winter terms of the Grammar School were taught by C. M. Hutchins, he is an experienced teacher, and believes in learning thorough all that is gone over; his order is good, and we hear of no complaints.

The Spring and Fall Terms of the Intermediate School were taught by Miss Lulu A. Davis, and although Miss Davis and the School appeared well, there was some complaint made and the teacher did not give general satisfaction.

The Winter term is being taught by Mr. Albert Mann, the school was visited at the first of the term and appeared well.

The three terms of the Primary School have been taught by Miss Maria H. Shaw. Miss Shaw has taught this school several terms before and has given good satisfaction.

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### DISTRICT NO. 2. SUMNER ESTES, AGENT.

There are two schools in this District, the Primary and Grammar Schools.

The three terms of the Grammar School have been taught by

W. P. Ferguson. The order in this school has not been what it should be, and without order in a school we cannot look for that improvement that we should with good order; we think when boys or girls go to school and will not obey school orders, they should be made to, or be turned out of the school, so that they may not disturb those who will obey and wish to learn.

The Primary School has been taught by Miss Maria L. Witham, with her usual good success; all, so far as we can learn, are satisfied with Miss Witham as a teacher.

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#### DISTRICT NO. 3.      WALTER CRAM, AGENT.

There were two terms in this District taught by Miss Eliza Burke.

Miss Burke has taught several terms in this District before with good success. The inhabitants of this District take more interest in their school and school house, than is shown in most of the other Districts in town; last Spring they repaired their school house by subscription, instead of taking the money out of their school money, as is done in most of the Districts in town.

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#### DISTRICT NO. 4.      J. R. FOSTER, AGENT.

In this District the Spring term was taught by Miss Abbie S. Abbott.

The scholars in this school are backward in their studies, but made good improvement under Miss Abbott's instruction. She is an experienced teacher.

The Fall term was taught by Miss Lizzie H. Abbott; the school was pleasant and profitable.

The Winter term is now being taught by Mr. Geo. A. Hurd, and was doing well when we were in to visit it.

## DISTRICT NO. 5. C. W. TRIPP, AGENT.

Two terms in this District,— Spring and Fall,— Lizzie Litchfield, teacher.

This was Miss Litchfield's first experience in teaching, and the result was commendable. We anticipate success for Miss L. as a teacher.

## DISTRICT NO. 6. CLINTON DAY, AGENT.

The Spring term taught by Addie M. Poindexter. This was her first attempt at teaching. The average number attending was good.

The Fall Term was taught by Carrie A. Abbott, and we think gave good satisfaction; we heard of no complaint.

## DISTRICT NO. 7. OTIS R. WHITCHER, AGENT.

In this District there were two terms, taught by Miss Mary E. Thompson. This is a small school, but the few that attended made commendable improvement in their studies.

## DISTRICT NO. 8. GEORGE JACOBS, AGENT.

The Spring term in this District was taught by Miss Addie C. Stevens. She is a good teacher, and knows how to keep her scholars interested in their studies.

The Fall term was taught by Miss Mattie Horne. This term had seventeen weeks of school, which we think is too long a time to keep scholars at School without a vacation. Miss Horne is a good teacher, but she had few scholars attending at the end of her long term of school.

## DISTRICT NO. 9. ROBERT CARROLL, AGENT.

Miss Annie Jones taught both Spring and Fall terms in this

District. She is possessed of those qualifications, both natural and acquired, necessary to fit one for a successful teacher. Good progress was made by all the classes.

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DISTRICT NO. 10. FRANCIS CHADBOURNE, AGENT.

The Summer and Winter terms in this District were taught by Lilian A. Roberts. She is well qualified to teach, and kept a good school, but should remember that the District pays for all the time she is in the school room, and her own work should be left at home.

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DISTRICT NO. 11. ALBERT H. JOHNSON, AGENT.

The Fall term of this District was by Miss Abbie L. Horne. The school improved well under her instruction. The Winter term was taught by Mercy Fogg; the school appeared well when we visited it.

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DISTRICT NO. 13. IVORY C. ALLEN, AGENT.

There were two terms in this District taught by Miss Mary T. Allen. This was her first school, and was a good one. It is seldom that a school is taught in this District without some complaint being made, but we hear of none made with Miss Allen's school.

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DISTRICT NO. 16. MOSES H. LIBBY JR., AGENT.

The Spring term in this District was taught by Miss Nellie O. Littlefield, who is a good teacher, well qualified to teach, and the school made commendable improvement.

The Fall term was taught by Miss Angie Welch; this was Miss Welch's first school, and was a success; so far as we have

heard from those in the District, all are well pleased with the school.

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DISTRICT NO. 17.      D. LITTLEFIELD, AGENT.

There were three terms in this District. The Spring term taught by Miss Marcia M. Littlefield. Miss Littlefield is an experienced teacher, but this is the first term she has ever taught in Sanford. Agents will do well to see that she is engaged to teach in Sanford another year, instead of getting inexperienced teachers from out of town.

Fall term taught by Abbie S. Abbott, who advanced the school well in all of the classes taught. Winter term taught by Miss Nellie O. Littlefield, with good success. We were glad to see that the parents in this school District took interest enough in their school to visit it.

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In the foregoing brief synopsis of the schools in town, we have dealt justly with all so far as we were able to judge from our visits. The schools as a whole have been very successful, though some have been better than others, there has been no case of utter failure, as is sometimes the case, and in no case has your Supervisor been called in to settle any trouble.

And now let me once more call your attention to the necessity of giving the school your hearty co-operation. If parents will visit the school frequently it will do a great amount of good; it will stimulate the children and cheer the teacher, and keep all well up to their work.

In conclusion, I submit a table showing the number of scholars in each District, and the amount each District has received, so you can see how the school money has been distributed.

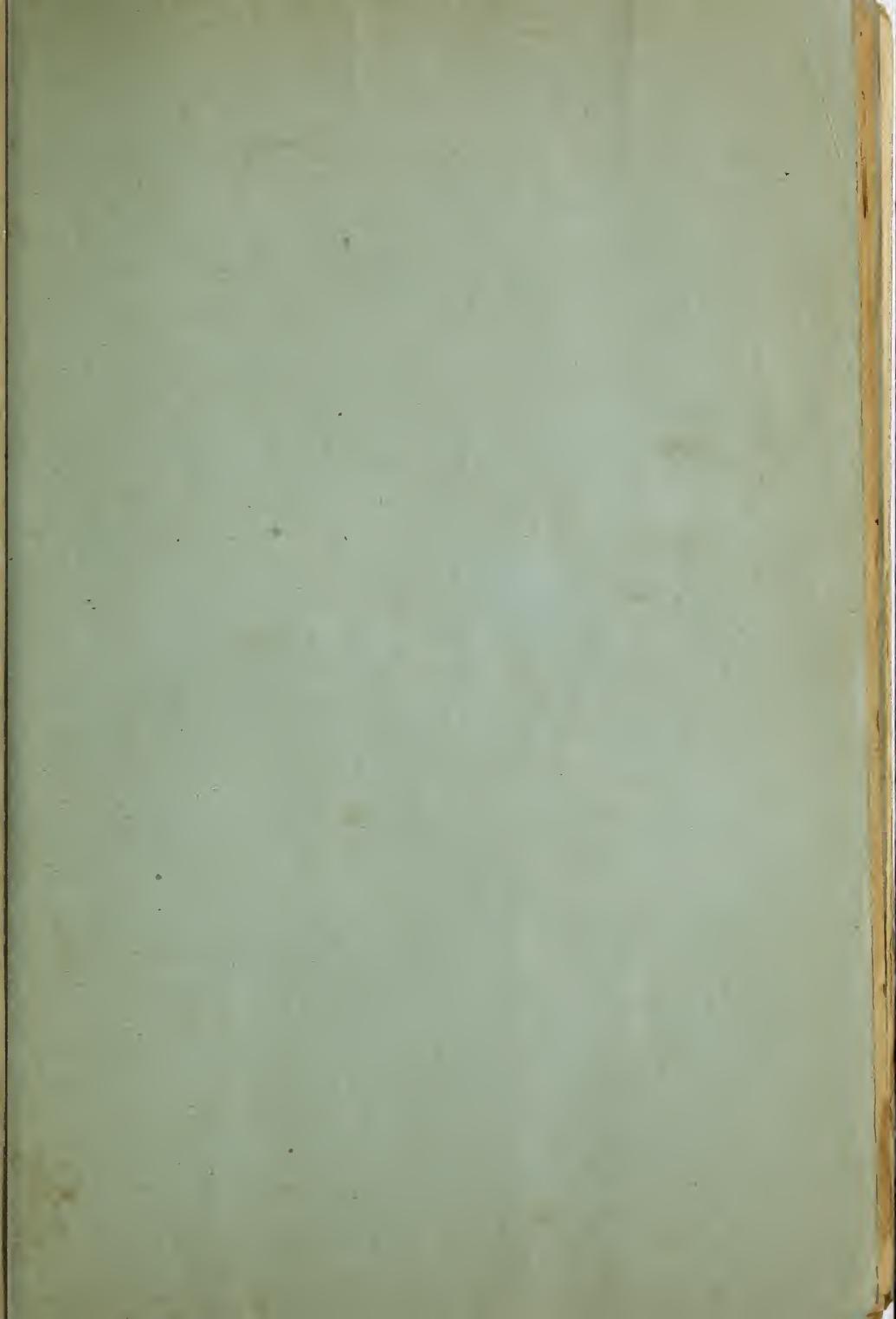
Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES O. EMERY, Supervisor.

Amount of money received from State,	\$1485.73.
" raised by town,	\$2200.00.
Total,	\$3685.73.

Whole number of scholars in town,	951.
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No. of District.	No. of Scholars.	Amount of money.
" 1,	402,	\$1313 27
" 2,	241,	815.10
" 3,	56,	212.80
" 4,	26,	124.93
" 5,	28,	132.61
" 6,	30,	140.30
" 7,	18,	104.18
" 8,	26,	137.82
" 9,	22,	114.56
" 10,	19,	108.02
" 11,	7,	78.00
" 13,	26,	124.93
" 16,	24,	117.24
" 17,	26,	124.93



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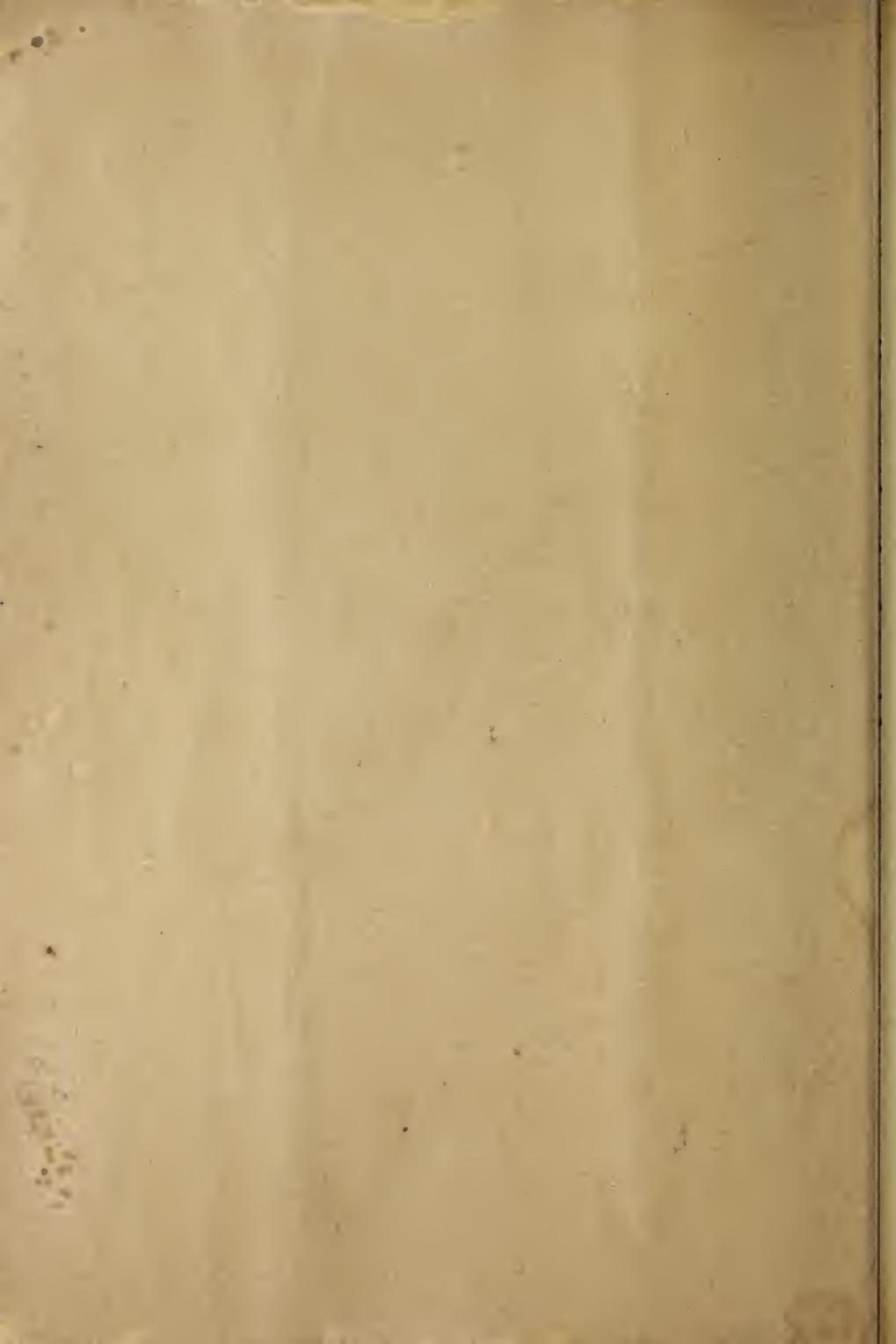
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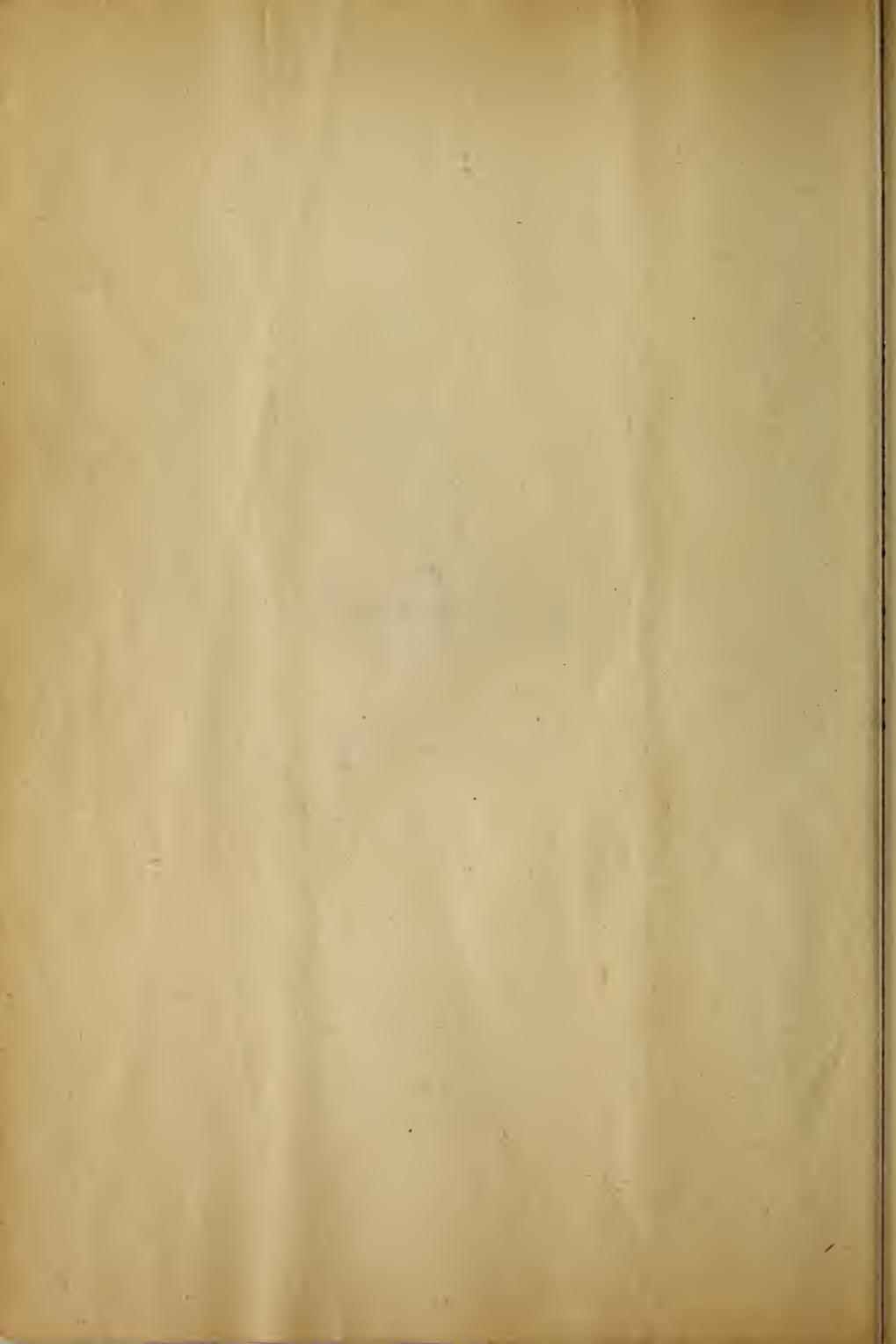
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# SELECTMEN'S REPORT

## FOR THE LAST YEAR, 1883.—'84.

### INCIDENTAL.

Amount appropriated,	\$1200 00
Paid E. M. Goodall, services after settlement,	4 50
C. O. Emery, posting warrants for town meeting,	4 50
W. A. Allen, for printing town reports and blanks for town order,	38 00
C. O. Emery, 2d, auditing town accounts in Febru- ary, 1883,	5 00
J. G. Wilkinson, services after settlement,	10 00
C. O. Emery, "treasurer," for services and expenses on deeds for non-resident taxes,	5 96
Wm. Russell, putting up guide boards and money paid out,	12 50
W. A. Allen, books for selectmen's office and print- ing,	13 35
H. W. Fairbanks, painting and lettering guide boards,	35 00
W. H. Milliken, M. D., damage to horse, sleigh, harness, and bottles of medicine on High- way District No. 13, March 12th, 1883,	10 00
Geo. J. Fletcher, guide posts and setting same,	1 50
Orin Roberts, iron and blacksmith's work for guide boards,	10 50
O. G. Jones, for making guide boards,	17 24
H. J. Stone, publishing non-resident taxes,	8 50
W. P. True, guide posts and setting same,	1 00
S. Nowell, guide post and setting	1 50
F. L. Durgin, M. D., services as supervisor,	95 00

Paid Howard Frost, getting records and perambulating town line between Sanford and Alfred,	16 00
Francis Chadbourn, enrolling militia,	2 25
Francis Chadbourn, money paid out for printing, etc.,	1 40
W. A. Allen, printing check list, blank orders, and notices,	14 25
Frank Wilson, going to Alfred to look up records of highway districts, two trips,	5 00
Elihu Parsons, enrolling militia,	8 00
George Bennett, schedule of guide boards and horse hire,	11 50
George Bennett, postage, stationery, etc., for selectmen's office,	6 50
Porter Hobbs, two guide posts and setting same,	3 00
Hosea Willard, postage, stationery, etc.,	8 72
H. J. Stone, printing selectmen's notices,	1 00
F. H. Dexter, " " "	1 50
B. F. Hanson, services as treasurer for 1883,	30 00
S. B. Ridley, one one-half days' work on town line between Alfred and Sanford,	2 00
George Bennett, services as selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,	90 00
Francis Chadbourn, services as selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,	39 00
Elihu Parsons, services as selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,	117 00
Porter Hobbs, services as collector for 1882,	100 00
B. F. Hanson, stationery, etc., for treasurer's office,	4 00
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Balance unexpended,	\$735 17
	464 83

## TOWN FARM.

Paid Jeremiah Moulton, 2d, cow for town farm,	\$43 00
General W. Bean, services on town farm from April 1st, 1882, to April 1st, 1883,	225 00

Paid Springvale Manufacturing Company, ashes for town farm,	19 00
David Allen, manure for town farm,	6 67
Joseph Boucherett, manure for town farm,	13 00
Mrs. S. Berry, manure for town farm,	5 00
G. A. Willard, manure for town farm,	10 00
F. J. Nutter, manure for town farm,	10 00
Orin Roberts, blacksmith's work for town farm,	2 35
G. Gauthier & Co., supplies furnished town farm,	11 34
G. W. Bean, services in part payment on town farm from April 1st, 1883, to April 1st, 1884,	161 00
Emery & Batchelder, stove and fixtures for town farm,	11 15
School District No. 2, district tax assessed November 14, 1883,	40
W. H. Welch, two shoats for town farm,	11 00
Nowell & Libbey, supplies for town farm,	114 32
Francis Chadbourn, barley for town farm,	1 50
Kimball Bros. & Co., supplies for town farm, balance due on settlement,	131 51
B. F. Hanson, for ox labor and supplies,	43 79
B. F. Hanson, wood for town farm,	20 00

Due General W. Bean, for carrying on farm,      \$840 93  
                        40 56

The following amount has been paid to treasurer from the proceeds of the farm :

For hay sold,	\$91 81
Potatoes sold,	13 40
Sweet corn sold,	39 10
	\$144 31

Owing to the drought of 1882, Mr. Bean having to buy

seed for planting and food until crops matured, the expenses have been large. We have bought ten cords of wood of B. F. Hanson, which Mr. Bean will cut and get on the farm by April 1st. There is now on the farm about three cords of wood.

A valuable cow died suddenly last September. She was driven to pasture, in apparent health, in the morning, and was found dead about three o'clock in the afternoon. Cattle being very high last spring, we thought best to hire cattle to do necessary farm work and sell the hay.

There are now on the farm 3 cows, 2 shoats, 18 hens, 9 1-2 tons of hay, 1-2 ton straw, 16 bushels barley, 2 1-2 bushels beans, 1-2 bushel peas, 30 lbs dried apples, 5 gallons soap, 2 1-2 bbls. cider, 3 bbls vinegar, 40 lbs. lard, 1 bbl. pork, 135 bushels potatoes, 15 bushels onions, 9 bushels beets and turnips, 50 lbs. cabbage, 2-3 bbl. flour, 10 lbs. butter, 1 bbl. salted cucumbers, 40 quilts and comforters, 38 sheets, 42 pillow cases, 9 blankets, part of them badly worn, 11 feather beds, 12 straw ticks, 23 pillows, 12 iron bedsteads, 4 table cloths, 6 roller towels, a good supply of crockeryware, etc. Mrs. Bean has dried and sold apples enough to pay for an iron sink which has been bought, and she has bought some bedding to replace that which was worn out.

The following persons are now on the town farm, viz.: Abbie Littlefield, aged 82; Eleanor Paul, 81; James Tibbetts, 78; Flora Sylvester, 22, and her child, 1.

Alex. Duval was on the farm five months; Eunice Joy, four weeks; Charles Carty, two months; Fred Henderson, three weeks; Forest Storer, nine months; Everett Lunny, four months; Warren Thompson, one month. Ten tramps were accommodated on farm with lodging and two meals. Fred Henderson was found dead in bed, probably died in a fit. Forest Storer died of old age. Both were buried at town's expense.

## PAUPER EXPENSES.

Paid Geo. W. Young, supplies furnished Hiram Cheney, Wells pauper,	\$16 41
J. B. Clark, telegram account of Nathan Goodwin's death,	1 24
S. Estes, medicine for Mrs. Mayers,	1 76
E. M. Goodall, hack fare to insane hospital on account of Nathan Goodwin's death,	1 00
J. S. Parker, M. D., visit aid advice in the Lassard small pox case, by order of Dr Dam, in 1878,	5 00
Maine Insane Hospital, board, etc., for Nathan Goodwin, in full to date, March 17th, 1883,	47 91
F. L. Durgin, M. D., services as town physician from April 1st, 1882, to April 1st, 1883.	35 00
Elihu Parsons, supplies furnished Lucinda Allen.	10 00
C. O. Emery, going to South Berwick after Phillip Lascauer's family, and cash paid to South Berwick for support of same,	9 25
Maine Insane Hospital, board of Edmund Earl to December 1st, 1883,	24 46
B. F. Hanson, Frenchmen's fare to Canada,	8 00
B. F. Hanson, expenses of carrying Edmund Earl to Maine insane hospital,	16 75
Mrs. J. M. Pillsbury, coffin, robe and box for Forrest Storer,	14 00
Samuel Gowen, helping dig grave for Fred Henderson,	1 00
Mrs. James Pillsbury, coffin for Fred Henderson,	9 00
Ivory Brooks, M. D., examination of Edmund Earl,	2 00
Joseph Whitney, attending funerals of Forrest Storer and Fred Henderson,	3 00
Francis Chadbourn, freight and expenses on Eunice Joy's goods,	3 80
Francis Chadbourn, services in committing Edmund Earl to Maine Insane Hospital,	2 75

Paid George Bennett, boarding tramps lodged in lock-up,	4 48
George Bennett, expenses of sending two paupers out of town,	2 45
F. L. Durgin, M. D., services as town physician to February 22d,	25 00
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	\$244 26

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Received from Town of Wells, on account of Hiram Cheney,	\$16 41
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## ROADS.

Amount appropriated for Summer,	\$2500 00
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We have expended on the roads the past summer, for which orders have been drawn, as worked by the several District Surveyors, with extra money ordered by the selectmen, as follows:

District No. 1,	C. F. Hanson,	Surveyor,	\$58 70
2,	M. H. Libby,	"	74 57
3,	O. G. Jones,	"	19 13
4,	C. F. Derby,	"	51 18
5,	Otis R. Libby,	"	32 94
6,	Stephen Goodwin,	"	58 48
7,	D. H. Ross,	"	82 79
8,	Nahum P. Allen,	"	66 02
9,	Stephen H. Moulton,	"	39 78
10,	John P. Garey,	"	31 88
11,	John Tibbetts,	"	20 48
12,	A. K. Ridley,	"	77 65
13,	Hosea Willard,	"	114 05
14,	Levi Chadbourne,	"	52 30
15,	James C. Johnson,	"	75 13

Dist. No.	E. C. Pike,	Surveyor,	\$16 76
17,	J. F. Tibbetts,	"	39 50
18,	Moses Plummer,	"	32 09
19,	Jacob H. Ellis,	"	49 14
20,	N. F. Hurd,	"	36 66
21,	Winslow L. Moulton,	"	44 76
22,	Albert L. Jacobs,	"	7 03
23,	Samuel Nowell,	"	48 10
24,	Moses Jellison,	"	13 25
25,	N. D Jones,	"	27 65
26,	Hiram Davis,	"	17 62
27,	Charles Butler,	"	38 63
28,	Hiram Perkins,	"	64 75
29,	W. H Nason,	"	43 32
30,	Freeman Goodwin,	"	84 58
31,	Frank S. Beal,	"	73 28
32,	Geo. J Fletcher,	"	25 75
33,	Cyrus W. Ridley,	"	37 22
34,	J. F. Twombly,	"	29 96
35,	Lorenzo Dow,	"	33 05
36,	C. O. Emery,	"	40 57
37,	Solomon Morrison,	"	36 31
38,	Simon Goodwin,	"	28 32
			\$1722 58

### ROADS AND BRIDGES.

The following is the amount paid out to keep the Bridges and Roads in repair, not laid out by the Surveyors :

Paid Asa Low, work on road in Districts Nos. 12 and 30, \$11 75  
 Benj. Bennett, use of derrick on bridges in District  
 No. 13, 6 75

Paid Luther Day, work on bridges in District No 13,	\$6 75
Fred Googins     "     "     "     No. 13,	3 00
O. C. Dorr,     "     "     "     No. 13,	12 00
Simon Goodwin, "     "     "     No. 13.	15 00
Sylvester Houston, work on bridges in District No. 13,	16 00
Christopher H. Cram, lumber on bridges in District No. 13,	11 17
Otis R. Willard, stringers on bridges in District No. 13,	29 00
H. Willard, carting stone and gravel in District No. 13,	38 50
Moses W. Lord, stringers in District No. 13,	27 25
E. K Bennett, carting stone and gravel in District No. 13,	12 25
Walter Cram, work in District No. 13.	21 50
C. O. Emery, repairing Beef Bridge in District No. 36,	20 00
W. Russell, repairing bridges in District No. 3,	52 88
W. Russell, plank for Whicher, Linscott and Good- win's bridges,	14 21
George Perkins, extra work in District No. 3,	9 01
Nahum Day,         "         "     No. 3,	15 33
Clinton Day,         "         "     No. 3,	4 50
C. Fletcher,         "         "     No. 3,	3 00
Isaiah Linscott,     "         "     No. 3,	3 00
Nathaniel Morrill,     "         "     No. 3,	5 00
A. Whitten,         "         "     No. 3,	3 58
Sylvester Houston,     "         "     No. 3,	4 00
Geo. W. Young, plank for bridge, Dist. No. 26,	7 38
G. Gauthier & Co., nails for bridges,	3 06
Samuel Nowell, repairing bridge near T. K. Ben- nett's,	14 09
Samuel Nowell, repairing "Bonny Big" Road,	23 40
Samuel Nowell, landside for plough,	1 25

Paid Elihu Parsons, labor on bridges in Districts 13, 3, and 26,	\$44 75
Stephen H. Moulton, railing in Deep Gully, Dis- trict 9,	3 00
F. Jordan & Co., bridge plank,	11 22
Hiram Davis, work on bridges in District No. 26,	2 30
Geo. E. Emery, work in District No. 7,	2 00
Winslow L. Moulton, repairs on Willard Bridge, so-called,	12 00
John Moore, work on Springvale Bridge,	50
J. G. Wilkinson, work on highway in District No. 7,	1 25
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Amount expended by Surveyors in Summer,	\$471 63
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Amount raised by Town for Roads and Bridges,	\$2194 21
Balance unexpended,	2500 00
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Balance unexpended,	305 79

There was about \$150 put into the hands of Highway Surveyors, which they have returned unexpended. This will increase, by that amount, the balance on hand.

#### BREAKING OF ROADS.

We have expended on the Roads for the Winter of 1882-83, for which orders have been drawn, as worked by the several District Surveyors. Some of bills we think are exorbitant.

District No. 1,	W F. Hanson,	Surveyor,	\$54 46
2,	Moses H. Libby,	"	35 47
3,	Clinton Day,	"	48 80
4,	C. A. Bodwell,	"	51 32
5,	O. R. Libby,	"	56 33

District No. 6,	Dana Merrifield,	Surveyor,	\$69 48
7,	A. J. Smith,	"	28 75
8,	Geo. F. Allen,	"	90 35
9,	Jeremiah L. Moulton,	"	39 26
10,	George Gowen,	"	24 87
11,	John Tebbetts,	"	32 25
12,	Alfred K. Ridley,	"	33 50
13,	Hosea Willard,	"	33 35
14,	Luther Plummer,	"	50 39
15,	Walter Cram,	"	110 34
16,	James M. Ricker,	"	18 80
17,	John Lord,	"	34 80
18,	Moses Plummer,	"	36 55
19,	Jacob H. Ellis,	"	22 52
20,	Nathaniel F. Hurd,	"	36 90
21, ..	J. L. Tripp,	"	34 15
22,	Albert L. Jacobs,	"	00 00
23,	Jacob Morrison,	"	33 05
24,	Moses Jellison,	"	4 90
25,	Nathaniel D. Jones,	"	45 45
26,	Hiram Davis,	"	15 40
27,	Charles Butler,	"	33 85
28,	Wm. Russell,	"	31 15
29,	Wm. H. Nason,	"	14 94
30,	Freeman Goodwin,	"	32 00
31,	Joseph Howe,	"	36 18
32,	Frank Hurd,	"	56 70
33,	Joseph Ridley,	"	13 85
34,	Lorenzo Dow,	"	29 50
35,	J. F. Twombly,	"	9 25
36,	C. O. Emery,	"	6 60
37,	John Morrison,	"	19 64
38,	Simon Goodwin,	"	20 90

\$1345 75

## LOCK-UPS.

Paid Elihu Parsons, furnishing material and building lock-up at Springvale.	\$214 00
Sanford Mills, furnishing material and building lock-up at Sanford, as per agreement at town meeting,	150 00.
Mousam River Mills, blankets,	10 50
Emery & Batchelder, iron pails,	3 75
W. B. Emery, underpinning lock-up at Sanford Corner,	16 00
G. A. Willard, stove for lock-up at Springvale,	5 50
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	\$399 75

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Received from Sanford Mills, for underpinning,	\$16 00
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## TOWN HALL.

Paid T. H. Makin, taking care of town hall to Feb. 23d, 1883,	\$10 50
G. A. Willard, repairs on town hall in 1882,	3 17
F. Jordan & Co., lumber to fence town hall lot,	3 73
E. G. Murray, wood and oil furnished for town hall,	13 91
T. H. Makin, janitor of town hall to Feb. 16, 1884,	25 75
T. H. Makin, wood and glass furnished,	6 75
John Moore, building fence about lot,	1 00
Jesse Giles, repairs on town hall,	4 00
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Received for use of hall,	\$68 81
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	152 45

## ABATEMENTS OF TAXES.

Paid Samuel Nowell, over-valuation in 1882,	\$7 20
George F. Allen, abatement of tax, 1882, error,	3 20
C. O. Emery, abatement of tax, 1882, error,	5 76
C. O. Emery, "treasurer," abatement of taxes assessed in 1881, property sold to town,	2 49
G. Nisson, heirs of, abatement of tax, (property transferred and taxed to David Cummings),	18 00
John Tebbetts, abatement of tax, property taxed twice,	7 20
Daniel J. Twombley, abatement of poll tax assessed in 1882,	2 00
Daniel J. Twombley, abatement of poll tax assessed in 1883,	2 00
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	\$47 85

## ABATEMENTS MADE TO PORTER HOBBS ON ASSESSMENTS OF 1881-82.

Samuel Houston, tax of 1881,.	\$0 95
C. W. Jacobs, " 1881,	50
J. U. Libby, " 1881, left town,	2 00

## POLL TAX, 1882.

Charles Asselin, left town,	\$2 00
Charles Asselin, jr., "	2 00
Dominique Autille, "	2 00
Benjamin Bennett, dead,	2 00
Samuel Barrett, left town,	2 00
Bartholemie Bibean, "	2 00
Jean Boisvert, "	2 00
Israel Bovillard, "	2 00

Jean B. Boissouot,	left town,	\$2 00
Abraham Bourque,	"	2 00
Joseph Boutellet,	"	2 00
Israi Cote,	"	2 00
Harry Downing,	"	2 00
Francis Dechamps,	"	2 00
John Dupere,	"	2 00
Isai Demerre;	"	2 00
John Fletcher, paid tax in Massachusetts,		2 00
George O. Gerry,	left town,	2 00
Xavier Gauthier,	"	2 00
Severe Gauthier,	"	2 00
John Hurd,	"	2 00
Samuel Houston, has no property,		96
Reuben Hill,	left town,	2 00
Edmund Hood,	"	2 00
Charles W. Jacobs,	"	2 00
Charles Jacobs,	"	2 00
Benjamin Jacobs,	"	2 00
Charles Jaris,	"	2 00
Aimable Langdon,	"	2 00
George Lessard,	"	2 00
Johnny Landry,	"	2 00
Antonie Lemire,	"	2 00
Herbert G. Lunny, dead,		2 00
William S. Lord,	left town,	2 00
James U. Libby,	"	2 00
Charles Lewis, over 70,		2 00
Joseph Lavoi,	left town,	2 00
William Marceau,	"	2 00
John Mercier,	"	2 00
Barthelemic Martin,	"	2 00
Joseph Oulet,	"	2 00
G. F. Phillipps,	"	2 00
William B. Plummer,	"	2 00

Octave Pelletier,	left town;	\$2 00
Alfred Petit,	"	2 00
Narcisse Peltier,	"	2 00
Mrs. S. Randall,		40
William Shackley,	left town,	2 00
Francois Shorest,	"	2 00
Felix Sandon,	"	2 00
Loami Taylor,	"	2 00
Fred Twombley,	"	2 00
Alasie Tremble,	"	2 00
F. H. Tebbetts,	"	2 00
Joseph Valliere,	"	2 00
Joseph Weymouth,	"	2 00
James L. Allen,	"	2 00
Fred Allen,	"	2 00
Charles F. Bean,	"	2 00
Charles A. Bean,	"	2 00
John F. Carter,	"	2 00
Lewis G. Fernald,	"	2 00
Will Greenough,	"	2 00
George Hurd, taxed twice,		2 00
Thomas Hoye,	left town,	2 00
Frank Perkins,	"	2 00
Thomas E. Pray,	"	2 00
Frank W. Trafton,	"	2 00
Total,		\$136 81

ABATEMENTS MADE TO HOSEA WILLARD, FEB. 23D,  
1884, ON ASSESSMENTS OF 1883.

Charles Asselin,	poll tax of 1883,	\$2 00
Charles Asselin, jr.,	" 1883,	2 00
Dominigo Antilb,	" 1883,	2 00
James L. Allen,	" 1883,	2 00

Thomas H. Banks, error on tax of 1883,	\$0 75
C. S. Boynton, poll tax of 1883,	2 00
Samuel Barrett, " 1883,	2 00
Joseph Banon, " 1883,	2 00
B. Bibean, " 1883,	2 00
Napoleon Bondrean, " 1883,	2 00
C. F. Bean, " 1883,	2 00
Jean B. Boisvert, " 1883,	2 00
Jean Boissant, " 1883,	2 00
Israel Bovillard, " 1883,	2 00
Abraham Bourque, " 1883,	2 00
T. Bourque, " 1883,	2 00
Joseph Boutillet, " 1883,	2 00
Alvah Carroll, property taxed twice,	8 55
John S. Carter, poll tax of 1883,	2 00
Isai Cote " 1883,	2 00
Raphael Cote, " 1883,	2 00
John Cobana, " 1883,	2 00
A. W Davis, " 1883,	2 00
Alonzo Day, " 1883,	2 00
George Dupene, " 1883,	2 00
Francis Decamps, " 1883,	2 00
Thelesphon Dumon, " 1883,	2 00
John Duperne, " 1883,	2 00
Isai Demers, " 1883,	2 00
Edmund Earl, insane,	2 00
George Emery, poll tax of 1883,	2 00
D. M. Frye, " 1883,	2 00
Fenderson & Allen, " 1883,	4 68
Lewis G. Fernald, " 1883,	2 00
George O. Gerry, " 1883,	2 00
Wm. H. Greenough, " 1883,	2 00
Christopher Galligan, " 1883,	2 00
Betsey Gowen,	5 85
Haven Gauthier, poll tax of 1883,	2 00

Joseph Gauthier,	poll tax of 1883,	\$2 00
Severe Gauthier,	" 1883,	2 00
Mercy F. Thompson,	taxed twice,	4 50
John Toy,	poll tax of 1883,	2 00
H. C. Tebbetts,	" 1883,	2 00
Oliver Twombley,	" 1883,	2 00
Joseph Vallier,	" 1883,	2 00
Joseph Weymouth	" 1883,	2 00
Harry Downing,	taxed twice,	5 40
Singer Sewing Machine Co.,		1 80
Amaziah Whitten,	over 70,	2 00
A. L. Whitney,	poll tax of 1883,	2 00
Albert Twittier,	" 1883,	2 00
Fred Twombly,	" 1883,	2 00
Albion A. Trickey,	" 1883,	2 00
George Hurd,	" 1883,	2 00
John W. Hurd,	" 1883,	2 00
Fred J. Harmon,	dead,	2 00
Isaac Hussey,	heirs of,	2 25
Thomas Hayes,	poll tax of 1883,	2 00
Xavier F. Hould,	" 1883,	2 00
Edmund Hood,	" 1883,	2 00
Charles Javis,	" 1883,	2 00
Jordan & Nason,	" 1883,	1 80
Aimable Langdon,	" 1883,	2 00
Johnny Langdon,	" 1883,	2 00
Antoine Lenire,	" 1883,	2 00
Augusta Lucier,	" 1883,	2 00
Charles Lucier,	" 1883,	2 00
Horace Langley,	" 1883,	2 00
James W. Libby,	" 1883,	2 00
Herbert G. Lunny,	dead,	2 00
Howard C. Lord,	dead,	2 00
Charles Lewis,	over 70 years old,	2 00
Henry Laviller,	poll tax of 1883,	2 00

Arsene Lavoi,	poll tax of 1883,	\$2 00
Joseph Lavoi,	" 1883,	2 00
William Lord,	" 1883,	2 00
William Marceau,	" 1883,	2 00
Andra Marcier,	" 1883,	2 00
Monsieur Merrifield, over 70 years old,		2 00
B. Martin,	poll tax of 1883,	2 00
Joseph Orellet,	" 1883,	2 00
F. H. Tebbets, taxed twice,		2 00
W. A. Stackpole, 2d, poll tax of 1883		2 00
Felix Saindon,	" 1883,	2 00
Francis Shorest,	" 1883,	2 00
Narcisse Peltier,	" 1883,	2 00
Joseph Prince,	" 1883,	2 00
Octaviers Pellitier,	" 1883,	2 00
W. B. Plummer,	" 1883,	2 00
N. Pinkham, heirs of, taxed twice,		9 90
Geo. F. Phillips,	poll tax of 1883,	2 00
R. A. Kempton,	" 1883,	2 00
Loami Taylor,	" 1883,	2 00
Wm. Shackley,	" 1883,	2 00
John F. Carter,	" 1883,	2 00
Charles H. Bean,	" 1883,	2 00
George Lassard,	" 1883,	2 00
Thomas E. Pray,	" 1883,	2 00
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		\$223 48

Owing to the shutting down of the cotton mill at Springvale, a large number of Poll tax payers moved out of town, and a majority of the above abatements are on that account.

## SCHOOL MONEY.

Amount of School Money raised by town,	\$2200 00
“ Received from State School fund and mill tax,	1548 20
“ State, Railroad, and Telegraph tax,	25 61
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	\$3773 81

The following amount, not drawn, is credited the several school districts :

District No. 1,	\$280 42
2,	6 08
3,	18 55
4,	14 44
5,	6 83
6,	1 85
7,	3 21
8,	4 56
10,	10 71
11,	3
13,	2 23
16,	30
17,	5 85
18,	2 99
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	\$358 05

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PORTER HOBBS, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF SANFORD.

*Dr.*

Feb. 23, 1883. To amount due on settlement, \$2290 24

*Cr.*

Dec 25. To Treasurer's receipt for non-resident taxes returned for year 1882, 198 88

Dec. 25.	To Treasurer's receipt for town orders re-	
	turned,	\$1716 11
	To Treasurer's receipt for interest on Clark	
	note, to July 11, 1883,	20 00
	To Treasurer's receipt for cash,	65 01
1884.		
Feb. 23.	To Treasurer's receipt for town orders re-	
	turned,	253 00
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	Balance uncollected from him,	\$2253 00
		37 24

HOSEA WILLARD IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF SANFORD.

1883.	<i>Dr.</i>	
To amount of State Tax committed,		\$2623 20
County     "		615 07
Town        "		8400 00
Overlay     "		242 40
Supplementary Tax committed,		478 84
School Fund and Mill Tax,		1548 20
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1883.	<i>Cr.</i>	
Nov. 29.      By Treasurer's receipt for orders returned,		\$3169 19
" 29.        "        "      County tax,		615 07
" 29.        "        "      cash,		265 74
1884.		
Jan. 2.        "        "      orders returned,		587 57
" 19.        "        "      "                    "      881 56		
Feb. 2.      State    "        "      State Tax for 1883, 2623 20		
" 15.        "        "      orders returned,		1516 75
" 23.        "        "      "                    "      1283 83		
" 23.        "        "      cash,		175 00
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Balance in hands of Hosea Willard,		\$11,117 91
		2789 80

C. O. EMERY, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE  
TOWN OF SANFORD.

1883.	<i>Dr.</i>	
February 23.	Balance due on settlement,	\$2575 26
March 5.	To cash from T. Goodall for plated ware for Town Farm,	24 76
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		\$2600 02

1883.	<i>Cr.</i>	
March 11.	By B. F. Hanson, Treasurer, for year year 1883, receipt for books, ac- counts, deeds, non-resident taxes and charges turned over to date,	\$2600 02

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B. F. HANSON, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH  
THE TOWN OF SANFORD, FOR YEAR 1883.

	<i>Dr.</i>	
May 11.	To amount of tax uncollected for 1882, in the hands of Porter Hobbs,	\$2290 24
	To amount of non-resident taxes turned over by Chas. O. Emery, treasurer, for 1882,	65 21
	To cash received from C. O. Emery, treasurer, 1882,	219 81
	To cash received from Thomas Goodall, by C. O. Emery,	24 76
May 19.	To cash received from town of Wells, account H. Cheney, pauper,	16 41
" 19.	To cash from licenses,	10 00
" 19.	To cash from hay sold from Town Farm,	91 81
June 4.	State tax committed to collector,	2623 20
" 4.	County        "        "	615 07
" 4.	Town        "        "	8400 00

June	4.	Overlay committed to collector,	\$242 40
Nov.	10.	Cash for potatoes sold from Town Farm,	13 40
Dec.	14.	" sweet corn " "	39 10
"	29.	Cash received from selectmen for auctioneer's license,	2 00
"	29.	Cash received from selectmen for circus license,	5 00
"	29.	To cash received for use of Town Hall,	152 45
1884.			
Feb.	2.	To amount State school fund and mill tax,	1548 20
"	19.	To cash received from Sanford Mills, underpinning lockup,	16 00
"	19.	To supplementary tax committed to collector,	478 84
"	19.	To railroad and telegraph tax.	64 82
"	19.	To interest money received on non-resident taxes,	5 91
1883		Cr.	\$16,924 63
May	11.	By cash paid C. O. Emery, for acknowledgement of deeds.	\$0 68
Dec.	6.	By interest on Geo. Hatch note to June 1st. 1883,	36 00
"	25.	By interest on D. G. Clark note to July 11. 1883,	20 00
"	29.	Receipt of County tax,	615 07
"	29.	Orders this day returned and punched,	5431 87
1884.			
Jan.	12.	Orders this day returned and punched,	587 57
"	22	" " "	881 56
Feb.	2.	State Treasurer's receipt for State tax, 1883.	2623 20
"	20.	Orders this day returned and punched,	1565 25
"	23.	" " "	1633 99
			\$13,395 19
		Balance in hands of Treasurer,	3529 44

## TOWN LIABILITIES.

1884.

Feb. 23.	Due from town on outstanding orders,	\$533 20
	Due Ivory Hatch note,	1007 00
	Due interest on above note,	70 48
	Due Sarah J. Allen, Horace Witham note,	900 00
	Due interest on above note,	27 00
	Due Porter Hobbs note,	500 00
	Due interest on above note,	12 48
	Due for breaking roads this winter	100 00
	Due Hosea Willard, collector for 1883,	100 00
	Due Gen. W. Bean, for services on Town Farm,	40 56
	Due several school districts,	358 45
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		\$3649 17

## TOWN ASSETS.

Due from B. F. Hanson, Treasurer,	\$3529 44
" H. L. Gowen.	130 00
" Town of Alfred, money paid Howard Frost for perambulating line,	6 00
" Use of Town Hall,	6 00
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	\$3671 44

Excess of Assets over Liabilities,                           22 27

Horace Witham demanded payment of his note. It was bought by Sarah J. Allen, and a new note was given her in payment of the old one, the old one being badly worn and covered by indorsements.

The amount of \$15.25, shown in the report of town assets last year, as due from the Town of Warren, is not included in the above assets. It was for the support of Mrs. Peters. The Town of Warren is not liable therefor, she having no legal settlement in said town.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE BENNETT,    Selectmen  
ELIHU PARSONS,    of  
FRANCIS CHADBOURN,                                      Sanford.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Town of Sanford, as shown me by the Selectmen, and find them correct.

FRANK WILSON, Auditor.

# SUPERVISOR'S REPORT

IN SANFORD,

FOR THE LAST YEAR.

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## DISTRICT NO. 1. ASA LOW, AGENT.

Primary School taught by Mrs. E. P. Frost, throughout the school year. Spring and Fall Term of Intermediate School taught by Miss M. L. Witham. Winter Term by Albert H. Mann. Spring Term of Grammar School taught by W. P. Ferguson. Fall and Winter Terms by M. J. Maybry.

Mrs. Frost worked faithfully, but under great disadvantages. The School room is not large enough, and from a sanitary stand-point utterly unfit for use. The other teachers in this district did their work to the satisfaction of all, although hampered somewhat by irregular attendance, especially in the case of the boys. I recommend to the district the employment of a truant officer.

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## DISTRICT NO. 2. S. ESTES, AGENT.

The two schools in this district were so crowded that a third teacher was employed. Mr. E. C. Frost, has had charge of the

upper room, Miss E. B. Hamlin of the lower, during the Spring Term. Miss Mary T. Allen, for Fall and Winter terms. Mrs. J. S. Frost, assistant for the Spring, Miss Alice Hodgon for the Fall and Winter Terms.

The district was especially fortunate in securing Mr. Frost and Miss Hamlin, and it is to be regretted that the services of Miss H. could not have been retained during the year.

Mrs. Frost and Miss Hodgon did good work. Miss Allen is a conscientious and hard working teacher, but does not have the faculty of governing her school as quietly and completely as could be wished.

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#### DISTRICT NO. 3. WALTER CRAM, AGENT.

Miss Angie Welch taught the school in this district. Some dissatisfaction was felt by a few patrons of the school, but I am satisfied there were no just grounds for complaint. Miss Welch is a good teacher, especially for one with no larger experience, and taught a good school.

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#### DISTRICT NO. 4. CHAS. E. DAVIS, AGENT.

Miss Lillian A. Roberts taught the pleasant and profitable Spring Term, followed in the Fall by Miss Etta M Abbott, and in the Winter by Geo. A. Hurd. Scholars made good progress and showed interest in their work.

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#### DISTRICT NO. 5. G.W. BUTLER, AGENT.

The school house in this district is one of the pleasantest in town. Miss Julia S. Moulton, a Normal School graduate, taught here one of the best schools we visited during the year.

**DISTRICT NO. 6. FROST GETCHELL, AGENT.**

The Spring Term taught by Mary A. Goodwin, an experienced teacher, who did good work. The Fall Term was taught by Miss Elma Small, with satisfaction to all.

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**DISTRICT NO. 7. HIRAM PERKINS, AGENT.**

The number of scholars attending school in this district is small. There were two terms of school, the first taught by Miss Stella Hatch. Miss Hatch is a total failure in the school room. The second term taught by Miss N. O. Littlefield, was a decided improvement. No one could in a single term make this a model school, but we are well pleased with Miss Littlefield's attempt.

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**DISTRICT NO. 8. JAMES P. ALLEN, AGENT.**

The Spring Term in this district was taught by Miss Mary Allen, with great satisfaction to all interested. The Fall Term taught by Miss Belle Wells. Through a misunderstanding as to the length of the term, we did not visit Miss Well's School at the close, as we expected to do, but we believe the scholars were interested in and profited by their work.

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**DISTRICT NO. 9. O. L. HAMILTON, AGENT.**

Both terms of school were taught by Mary T. Frost. This was Miss Frost's first experience in teaching, and the result was commendable. The stove here is unsafe and insufficient to warm the room. The blackboards also are sadly in need of repair.

**DISTRICT NO. 10. JOSEPH HILL, AGENT.**

Two terms. The first taught by Lillian A. Roberts. Miss Roberts is a painstaking teacher and taught a good school, as did Miss Ida Mann, in the Fall term.

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**DISTRICT NO. 11. ALBERT H. JOHNSON, AGENT.**

There are only eight scholars in the district. I believe it would better to have these set off to other districts. If then it would be too far for scholars to walk to attend school, they may be carried at the expense of the school fund. In this way I think they might receive more and better school privileges than are now possible. Miss N. O. Littlefield and Miss Addie Poindexter taught the two terms of school, with credit.

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**DISTRICT NO. 13. EPHRAIM ALLEN, AGENT.**

There have been two terms of school in this district, taught by Miss Annie Allen. This is the banner school in town, in punctuality and regular attendance. During the Spring term of six weeks, whole number of scholars attending school, 10; average number, 10. Fall term, 13 weeks, whole number attending, 14, average number, 12. Miss Allen is the right teacher in the right place.

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**DISTRICT NO. 16. LIBBEUS BUTLER, AGENT.**

Miss Alice H. Goodwin taught the schools during the year, with general satisfaction. The school house in this district is sadly in need of repairs, that it may be warm and comfortable.

## DISTRICT NO. 17. M. D. LITTLEFIELD, AGENT.

There were three terms of school in this district. Spring Term taught by Marcia M. Littlefield, an experienced teacher, who taught a good school. The remaining terms taught by Ella Barton. Miss Barton is a progressive teacher, the school well disciplined, and the scholars naturally make good progress.

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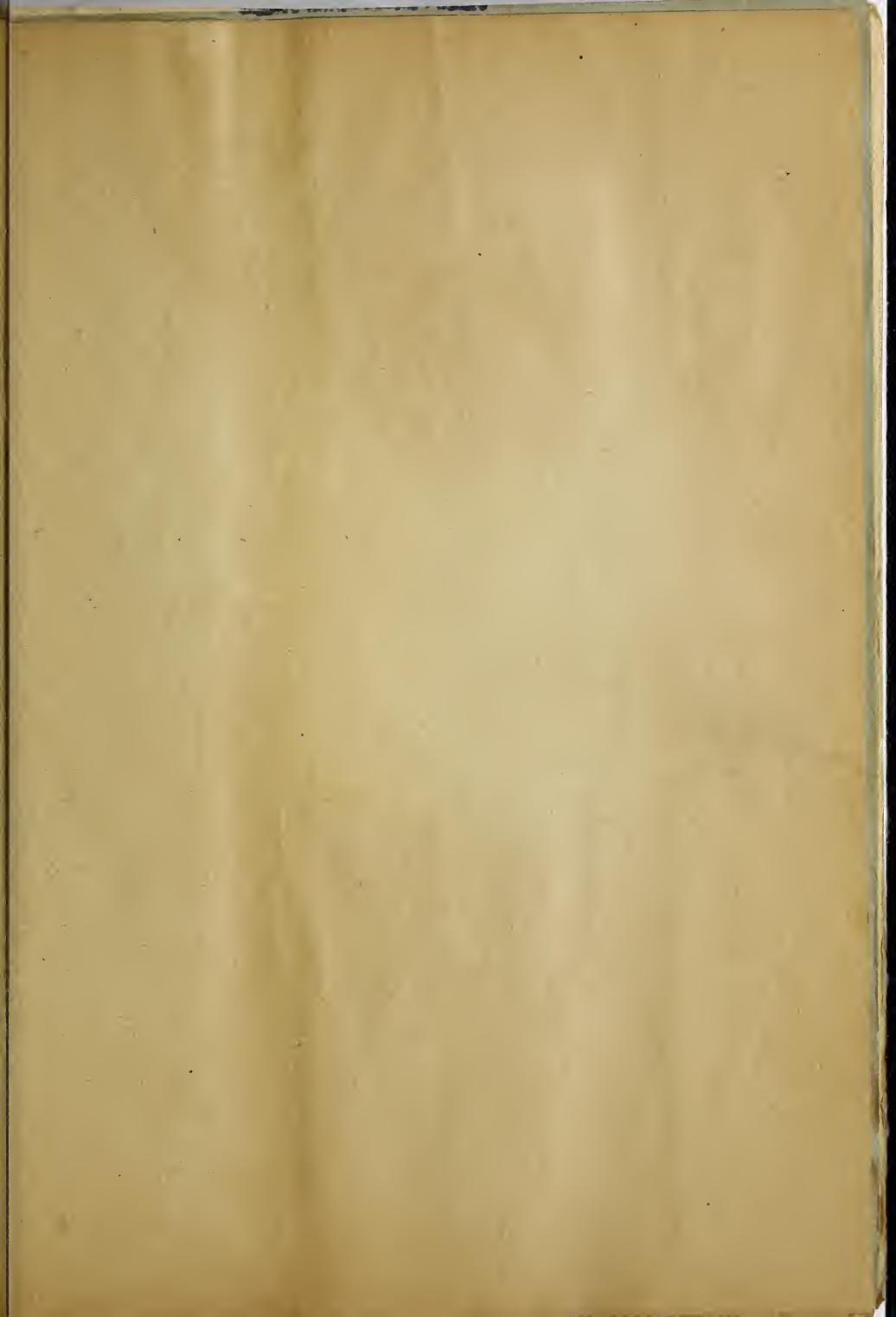
The several schools in town have been reasonably prosperous the past year. In district No. 1, and particularly district No. 2, attempts have been made to get the scholars out of the beaten path of Reading, Spelling, Arithmetic, and Geography, by the introduction of some elementary science. Springvale has some excellent scholars in French and Latin, totally ignorant of elementary Chemistry, Physiology, Hygiene, and Natural Philosophy. At Sanford, the languages have been studied but little, even our own greatly neglected. I trust parents will aid teachers and school officers in this respect. I hope the time is not distant when we can have more and better apparatus in our schools as an aid in exciting greater interest in studies.

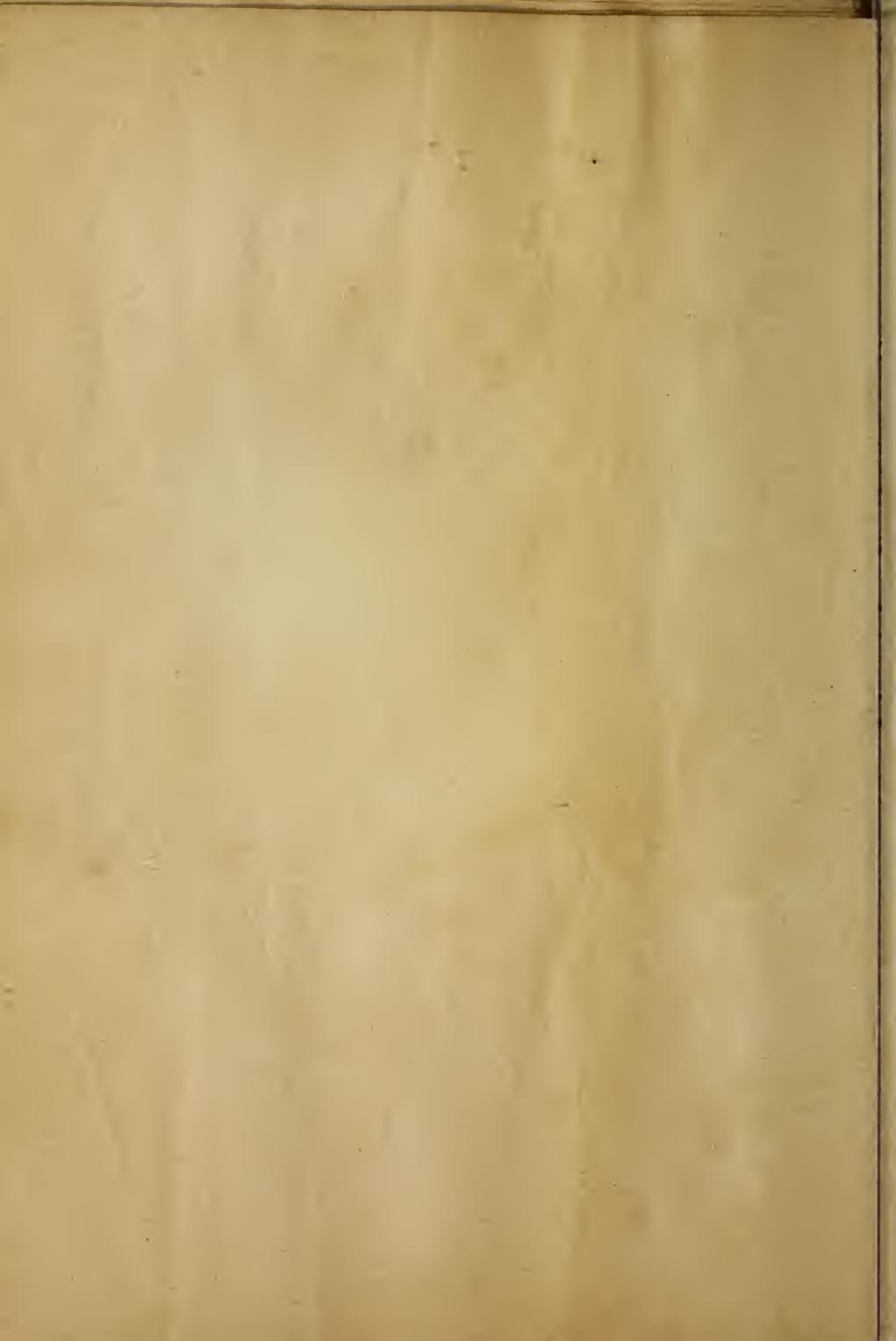
I have been gratified to meet parents and friends of the school, in the school room. If parents realized the incentive to more and harder work their presence in the school room gives to their children, I feel sure they would not be strangers there. Interest once thoroughly roused on the part of scholars in their studies, government of the school is easier and having less police duty to do, the teachers may well be required to do more and better work in their legitimate sphere as instructors.

Respectfully submitted,

F. L. DURGIN, Supervisor.

District No.	Whole number scholars.	Amt. distributed.
1	377	\$1249.54
2	274	908.72
3	56	215.82
4	30	139.62
5	32	147.33
6	31	143.47
7	14	91.96
8	22	122.79
9	18	102.37
10	23	121.64
11	7	79.43
13	19	106.23
16	28	135.91
17	31	143.47
18	16	61.66
20	1	3.85
Amount of school money received from State,		1548.20
" " " " Railroad & Tel. tax,		25.61
" " raised by Town,		2200.00
Whole number scholars, 979.		







# SPRING OF 1884.

I take this opportunity to thank my many friends and patrons for the large patronage given me the past year, and respectfully say to them that I have made preparations this year to merit the same and an increase.

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## I HAVE THE MOST COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHING ESTABLISHMENT IN YORK COUNTY.

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No Country village in the State can boast of a better assortment of **FURNITURE & CARPETS,**

and my stock of CROCKERY, GLASS WARE, ROOM PAPERS, & BORDERS, WINDOW SHADES & FIXTURES, is more complete than every stock in town combined.

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I never had more desirable styles of PARLOR SUITS, CHAMBER SETS, CHAIRS & LOUNGES.

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I make it a rule to keep none but standard makes of CARPETS & OIL CLOTHS.

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I can show you the nicest WHITE GRANITE and the HANDSOMEST PRINTED WARE in the market.

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I have a large assortment of ROOM PAPERS and BORDERS, also, WINDOW SHADES, LOOPS, TASSELS, ETC.

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→→→→→ MY PRICES ARE RIGHT. ←←←←←

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## GOODS SOLD ON INSTALLMENTS.

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Hoping I may have an opportunity of serving you in one or all of the above lines,

I am yours respectfully,

**S. B. EMERY.**

*Sanford, Me., March 1, 1884.*

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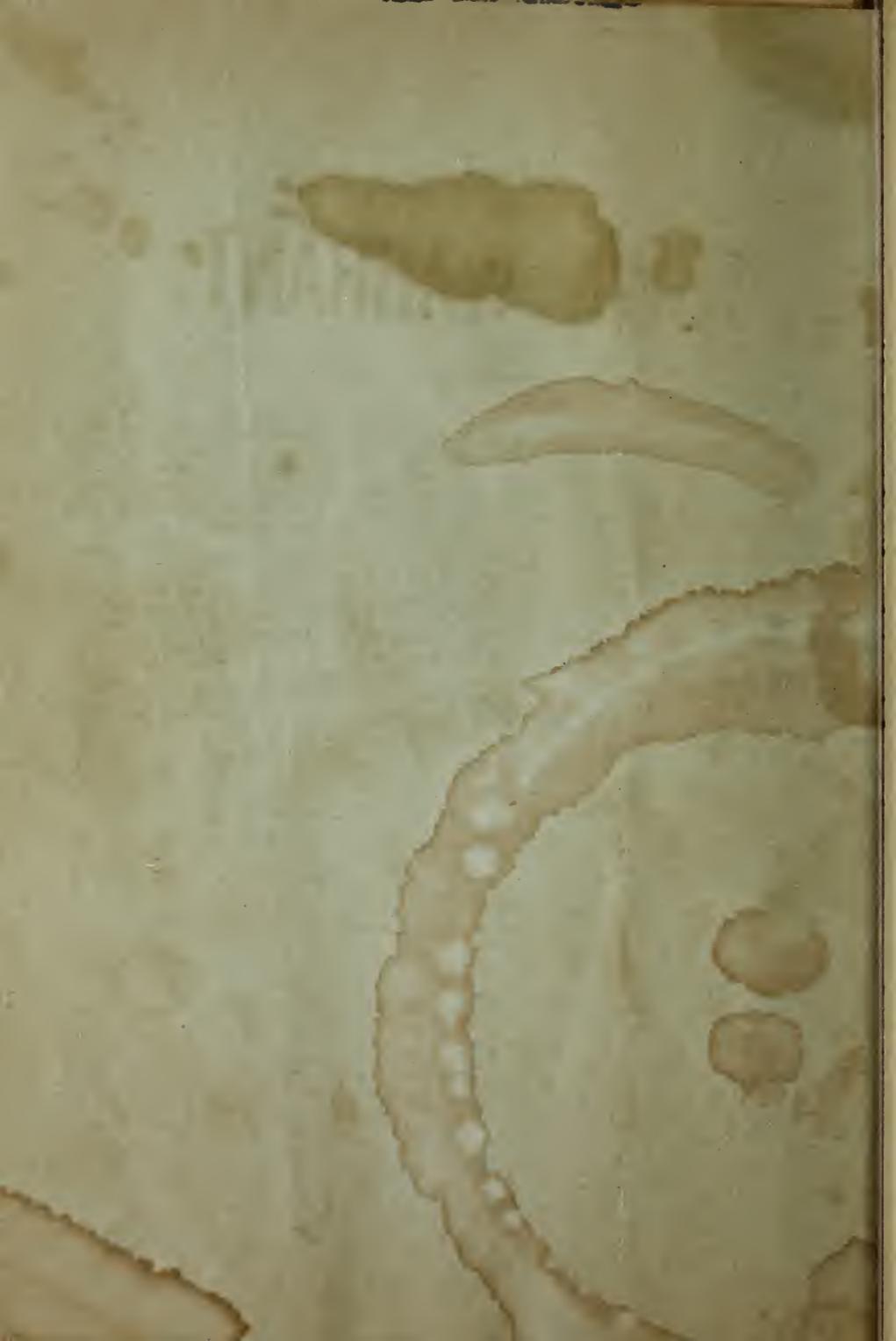
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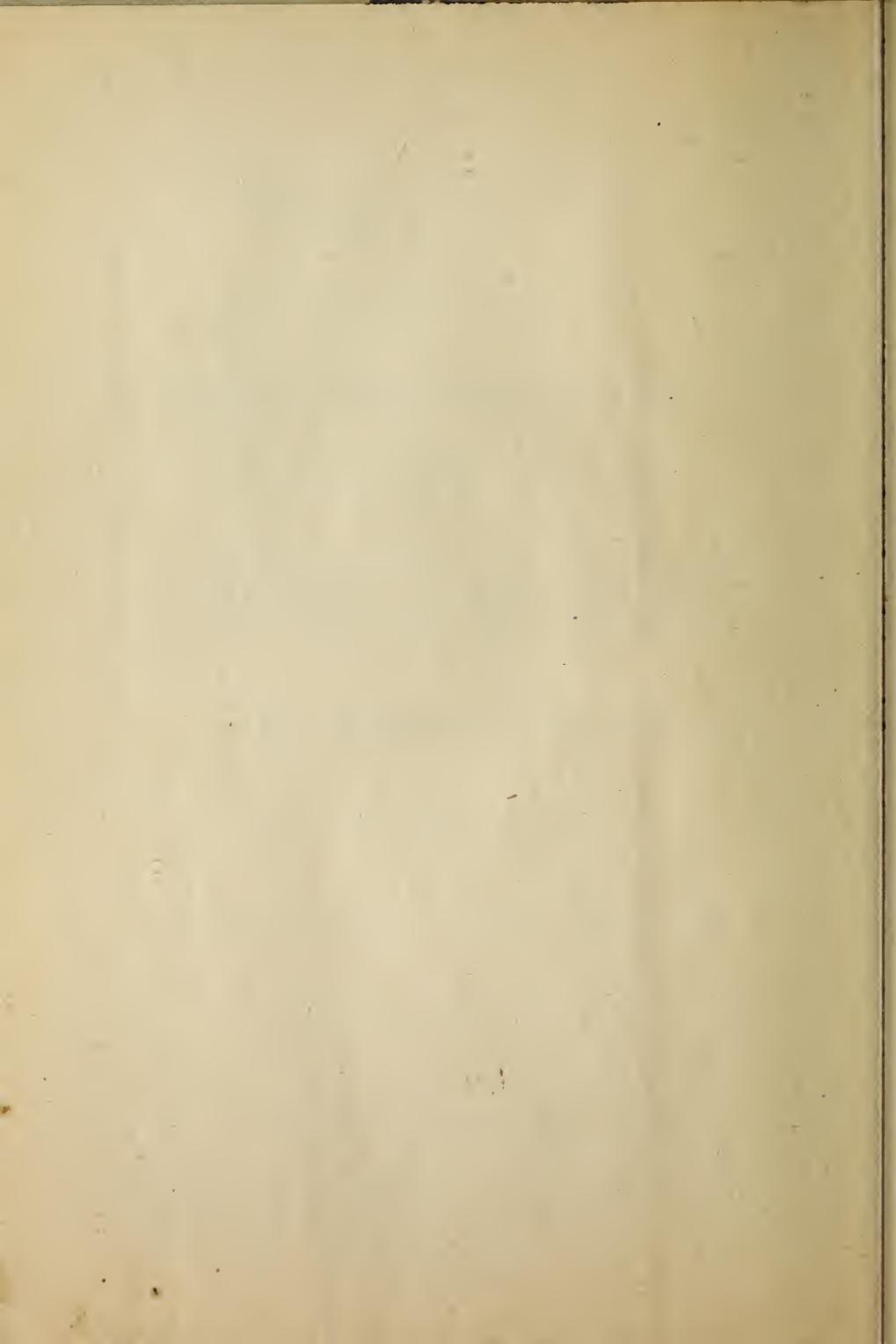
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# SELECTMEN'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR, 1884-'85.

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## INCIDENTAL.

Amount appropriated	\$800 00
Paid Wm. A. Allen, printing town reports,	35 00
A. K. L. Bedell, for services as moderator,	4 00
Elihu Parsons, for services after settlement,	6 00
Frank Wilson, auditing selectmen's accounts,	5 00
W. A. Allen, for collector's and surveyors' books, valuation and highway record,	29 79
Richard L. Goodwin, perambulating line between Sanford and Alfred,	17 00
Benjamin Day, for stone-posts for town lines be- tween Sanford and Alfred,	8 00
W. A. Allen, for printing selectmen's notices, and one copy of the revised statutes,	11 75
Frank H. Dexter, printing selectmen's notices,	1 00
Kimball Bros. & Co., for invoice case and blanks,	3 25
Francis Chadbourne, services as selectman, and money paid out after settlement,	7 50
Wm. A. Allen, printing check-list,	14 00
Frank H. Dexter, printing selectmen's notices and advertising non-resident taxes,	6 50
B. F. Hanson, cash paid out for recording non- resident deeds,	3 00

Paid B. F. Hanson, services as treasurer for 1884,	30 00
B. F. Hanson, traveling expense for collecting non-resident taxes,	7 00
Frank L. Durgin, service as supervisor,	95 00
Chas. O. Emery, posting warrants for town meeting,	4 50
Sanford Herald, printing selectmen's notices,	2 50
B. F. Hanson, postage and stationery for treasurer's use,	4 00
Chas. O. Emery, 2nd, postage and stationery for selectmen's office,	8 67
George Bennett, services as selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,	80 00
J. G. Wilkinson, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor,	60 00
Chas. O. Emery, 2nd, services as selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor,	80 00
John A. Dennett, postage and express,	1 62
Hosea Willard, services as collector for 1883,	100 00
Hosea Willard, postage, stationery, &c.,	7 75
Frank Wilson, making check-list board, writing deeds, &c.,	5 63

1884.

Cr.

Nov. 24, received from the town of Alfred, for perambulating town line, 1883-'84, 14 50

## TOWN FARM.

Paid G. W. Bean, balance due for services on town farm to April 1st, 1884,	\$ 64 00
Nahum and Chas. E. Hurd, oxen for town farm,	145 00

Paid Geo. F. Gowen, manure for town farm,	16 25
Walter Cram, for ox-wheels for town farm,	38 00
Harrison L. Jacobs, cow for town farm,	40 00
S. B. Emery, chairs for town farm,	5 40
Nowell & Libby, nails for town farm,	71
Wm. E. Quint, for services on town farm from April 1st, 1884, to August 15, 1884,	75 00
S. B. Emery, for insurance on town farm buildings,	18 00
John L. Hight, work on town farm,	9 00
John L. Hight, work on town farm,	11 50
B. F. Hanson, shingles for town farm buildings,	45 00
Jeremiah S. Littlefield, work on town farm,	4 00
Sanford Mills, sawing lumber for town farm,	5 86
Orrin Roberts, shoeing oxen, iron rods, &c.,	7 50
Jeremiah Moulton, 2d, pigs for town farm,	12 00
S. B. Ridley, coal for town farm,	10 38
J. G. Wilkinson, chairs for town farm,	4 00
Geo Gauthier & Co, supplies for town farm,	4 52
Emery & Batchelder, difference on stove,	3 75
S. & E. M. Estes, supplies for town farm,	3 64
William E. Quint, services on town farm to Feb. 14, 1885,	100 00
Kimball Bros. & Co., balance due for supplies fur- nished town farm,	29 06
Chas. O. Emery, wood for town farm,	7 50
Elihu Parsons, labor on barn at town farm,	20 00
B F. Hanson, hauling logs to mill, and ground bone for town farm,	11 41
	\$691 48

C.R.

By cash received, for oxen sold, \$132 50  
 from W. E. Quint, for board of colt, 8 00

The town farm expenses have, the past year, been unusually large, on account of having to make necessary repairs. We were obliged to have the buildings insured, the barn shingled, one field under-drained, and buy a pair of ox-wheels, involving an outlay of \$126.21.

We have paid Mr. Quint for services on the farm to Feb. 14, 1885. There is due him, to date, some four or five dollars.

The supplies furnished farm by Kimball Bros. & Co., for the past year, amount to \$167.06.. Mr. Quint has paid \$138.00 of the above amount from the products of the farm, leaving a balance due of \$29.06.

As the house is very much out of repair it will be necessary to raise money for the purpose of shingling and painting the same. There should also be a well dug.

There are now on the farm, 4 cows, 3 shoats, 19 hens, 8 tons hay, 1 ton straw, 3 bushels barley, 2 1-2 bushels white beans, 1-2 bushel colored beans, 1-2 bushel peas, 5 bushels wheat, 8 bushels corn, 1-4 barrel pork, 6 bushels turnips and beets, 75 bushels potatoes, 8 bushels apples, 4 bushels onions, 2 barrels salted cucumbers, 7 barrels cider, 15 pounds dried apples, 2-3 barrel flour, 5 pounds lard, 20 pounds butter, 44 quilts and comforters, 37 sheets, 41 pillow cases, 9 blankets, (all of them are badly worn,) 11 feather beds, 12 straw ticks, 23 pillows, 12 iron bedsteads, 4 table cloths, 7 roller towels, 1 clothes wringer, a good supply of crockery ware, &c., 2 plows, 2 ox-cultivators, 1 ox-harrow, 1 horse-cultivator, 1 pair ox-wheels and cart, 1 pair bob-sleds, 3 chains, 1 grindstone and fixtures, 2 wood saws, 1 ox-yoke, bows, ring and staple, 4 hay forks, 2 manure forks, 4 shovels, 1 pick-axe, 1 crowbar, 1 potato-hoe, 1 hand-hoe, 1 garden-rake, 1 bush scythe and snath, 1 scythe and snath, 2 hand-rakes, 1 axe, 1 hammer, 5 tie-chains, 10 cords soft wood, 5 cords hard wood, 2 thousand feet of pine lumber.

The following persons are now on the farm, viz.: Abbie

Littlefield, aged 83 ; Elanor Paul, 82 ; James Tibbetts, 79 ; William Cram, 79. Flora Sylvester, and her child, were on the farm five months ; Eunice Joy part of the time for two months ; Maggie Thorp, two weeks.

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#### PAUPER EXPENSES.

Paid Kimball Bros. & Co., supplies furnished Horace A.	
Joy, North Berwick, pauper,	\$ 3 00
Howard Frost, services in pauper cases after settlement,	10 00
Maine Insane Hospital, for support of Edmund Earle,	31 32
Kimball Bros. & Co., supplies furnished Wm. Cram,	2 75
Nowell & Libby, supplies furnished Wm. Cram,	2 16
Maine Insane Hospital, for coffin, robe, &c., for Edmund Earle,	33 09
Wm H. Millikin, medical attendance and medicine furnished the poor, from April 1, to Aug. 1, '84,	11 66
F. L. Durgin, services to the poor,	5 00
John B. Clark, wood for Eunice Joy,	7 50
Mousam River Mills, blankets for lock-up,	3 75
James Cheney, painting lock-up,	1 75
E. & E. E. Goodwin, goods furnished Horace A.	
Joy's family, North Berwick, pauper,	19 89
Kimball Bros., wood for lock-up,	1 75
Emery & Batchelder, stove funnel and zinc for lock-up,	6 68
A. J. Smith & Co., paint, oil, &c., for lock-up,	88
John B. Clark, wood for Eunice Joy,	2 50
Geo. A. Willard, labor and material on lock-up,	50
E. & E. E. Goodwin, supplies furnished Anabel Londo,	4 00

Paid town of North Berwick, for supplies furnished Horace Taylor's wife,	7 00
Asa Low, wood for lock-up,	1 75
Lorenzo Dow, medical attendance to the poor,	3 60
Chas. O. Emery, 2nd, feeding and putting up tramps in lock-up,	12 00
J. G. Wilkinson, expense to North Berwick after Horace Taylor's wife,	2 50
J. G. Wilkinson, feeding and putting up tramps in lock-up,	12 00
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	\$187 03

## CR.

Received from the town of North Berwick, for supplies furnished Horace A. Joy's family, \$22 89

We found it necessary to remove William Cram to the town farm. He had a small parcel of real estate, on which there were some outstanding claims; this he has deeded to the town of Sanford by his quit-claim deed, dated Feb. 21st, 1885. Mr. Cram's son, George, stands ready to purchase the place, and we think it advisable for the town to convey it to him.

The overseers of the poor of the town of Lebanon have notified us that Oliver Hanson's family have fallen into distress, in said town, but notice was received too late for us to investigate as to whether he is a resident of this town or not.

There has been for the past year a large number of tramps wandering about, and we have been obliged to put up over sixty of them in the lock-ups.

## ROADS.

Amount appropriated for summer,	\$2,500 00
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We have expended on the roads the past summer, for which orders have been drawn as worked by the several district surveyors, with extra money ordered by the selectmen, as follows:

District No.		Surveyor,		\$	109	31
2,	Geo F. Bean,	"			91	16
3,	Nathaniel Morrill,	"			36	27
4,	C. F. Derby,	"			43	04
5,	H. H. Ford,	"			35	72
6,	Dana Merrifield,	"			73	00
7,	E. G. Murray,	"			202	34
8,	N. P. Allen,	"			74	41
9,	S. H. Moulton,	"			55	42
10,	G. W. Gowen,	"			35	42
11,	John Merrill,	"			63	65
12,	Enos Harris,	"			69	95
13,	E. K. Bennett,	"			89	42
14,	L. W. Chadbourn,	"			54	45
15,	J. C. Johnson,	"			90	76
16,	Wentworth Davis,	"			35	24
17,	J. F. Tibbetts,	"			22	90
18,	Moses Plummer	"			31	25
19,	Jacob Ellis,	"			40	72
20,	F. C. Goodwin,	"			35	50
21,	W. L. Moulton,	"			44	45
22,	Albert L Jacobs,	"			13	87
23,	Samuel Nowell,	"			105	28
24,	Moses Jellerson,	"			14	50
25,	Frank Fall,	"			27	95
26,	Hiram Davis,	"			18	66
27,	Moses Goodwin,	"			35	62

District No. 28,	L. N. Perkins, Surveyor,	61 88
29,	Horace Whitham,	52 94
30,	Asa Low,	319 95
31,	F. S. Beal,	67 00
32,	Samuel Worster,	24 66
33,	S. W. Ridley,	62 60
34,	C. S. Bennett,	31 20
35,	Lorenzo Dow,	25 60
36,	C. O. Emery,	49 44
37,	Soloman Morrison,	32 95
38,	William B. Emery,	27 01
39,	Joseph Shaw,	33 55
		\$2,339 04

### ROADS AND BRIDGES.

The following is the amount paid out to keep the bridges and roads in repair, not laid out by the surveyors:

Paid Solomon Morrison, for bridge railing in District No. 37,	3 60
William Russell, for plank, stringers, labor, &c., on Linscott's bridge,	43 60
Benjamin Beal, repairing bridge at Springvale,	1 25
Samuel Worster, repairing bridge in District No. 32,	6 00
Samuel Nowell, road scraper,	8 00
E. & E. E. Goodwin, powder and fuse furnished District No. 31,	1 10
Edmund Goodwin, bridge plank in Dist. No. 32,	6 50
Moulton Bros., bridge plank,	30 70
Moses Plummer, work on highway in District No. 18, by order of selectmen,	8 70

Paid Edward K. Bennett, work on highway in District No. 29, by order of selectmen,	15 00
O. G. Jones, work on highway in District Nos. 3, 10 and 22,	7 50
Jere Moulton, railings,	7 50
Stephen H. Moulton, work on highway in District No. 9, by order of selectmen,	10 00
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	\$149 45
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Total amount expended,	\$2,339 04
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	\$2,488 49

#### BREAKING OF ROADS.

We have expended on the roads for the winter of 1883-84, for which orders have been drawn as marked by the several district surveyors.

District No.	C. F. Hanson	Surveyor	
1.			\$39 42
2,	Moses H. Libby,	"	28 86
3,	Orrin G. Jones,	"	34 39
4,	C. F. Derby,	"	41 23
5,	O. R. Libby,	"	45 14
6,	Stephen Goodwin,	"	54 62
7,	D. H. Ross,	"	11 20
8,	N. P. Allen	"	65 92
9,	S. H. Moulton,	"	33 45
10,	John P. Gerry,	"	30 60
11,	John Tebbetts,	"	23 30
12,	A. K. Ridley,	"	32 35
13,	Hosea Willard,	"	23 55

District No. 14,	Levi Chadbourn,	Surveyor,	37 36
15,	J. C. Johnson,	"	38 21
16,	E. C. Pike,	"	18 65
17,	J. F. Tebbetts,	"	34 30
18,	Moses Plummer,	"	32 09
19,	Jacob H. Ellis,	"	23 05
20,	N. F. Hurd,	"	20 72
21,	W. L. Moulton,	"	34 22
22,	Albert L. Jacobs,	"	15 39
23,	Samuel Nowell,	"	15 20
24,	Moses Jellerson,	"	12 40
25,	N. D. Jones,	"	31 40
26,	Hiram Davis,	"	11 10
27,	Charles Butler,	"	23 45
28,	Hiram Perkins,	"	32 90
29,	Wm. H. Nason,	"	15 33
30,	Freeman Goodwin,	"	20 50
31,	F. S. Beal,	"	34 44
32,	Geo Fletcher,	"	57 46
33,	S. K. Ridley,	"	12 65
34,	J. F. Twombley,	"	6 70
35,	Lorenzo Dow,	"	18 20
36,	C. O. Emery,	"	12 10
37,	Solomon Morrison,	"	25 52
38,	Simon Goodwin,	"	12 20
			\$1059 57

## NEW ROAD TO ALFRED GORE.

Amount appropriated,	\$2,000 00
Paid Richard L. Goodwin, for services in making specifications,	\$ 12 50

Paid Frank Wilson for writing bonds, etc.,	3 00
Wm. L. Shaw, building section No. 5,	188 38
C. H. and Walter Cram, building section No. 6,	200 81
Nathaniel H. Russell, building section No. 1,	466 40
Porter Hobbs, building sections Nos. 2, 3, and 4,	923 48
Chas. O. Emery, 2d, services in letting and over- seeing the building of the new road leading to Alfred Gore,	23 50
J. G. Wilkinson, services in letting and overseeing the building of the new road leading to Al- fred Gore,	17 00
George Bennett, services in letting and overseeing the building of the new road leading to Alfred Gore,	19 00
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#### NEW ROAD AT SANFORD CORNER.

Amount appropriated,	\$150 00
Paid Gilbert G. Littlefield, land damage,	15 00
Edward K. Bennett, for building new road,	135 00
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	\$150 00

#### PAID WILLARD POST, NO. 70, G. A. R.

Amount paid by vote of town,	\$75 00
Amount appropriated for weights and measures,	\$125 00
Paid Fairbanks, Brown & Co., for weights and meas- ures,	42 75
Edward K. Bennett, express on weights and meas- ures,	2 95

Paid Geo. Gauthier and Co., for hinges, lock, etc.,	1 45
Frank Wilson for chest for weights and measures,	5 47
Fairbanks, Brown and Co., for measures and express,	90
B. F. Hanson, services and cash paid out for sealing weights and measures,	4 00
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	\$57 52
Balance unexpended	67 48

## TOWN HALL.

Paid E. G. Murray, supplies for town hall,	\$ 8 12
S. B. Emery, insurance on town hall,	75 00
A. J. Smith & Co., paint and oil for town house,	33 11
John R Butler, painting town house,	13 00
Walter Cram, posts for town house lot,	2 00
Edwin Littlefield, building fence around town house,	1 50
Emery & Batchelder, stoves, funnel and zinc for town house,	30 58
Dennett and Giles, repairs on town house,	4 41
S. B. Ridley, sawdust for town house,	2 00
E. & E. E. Goodwin, supplies furnished town hall,	9 25
Thomas H. Makin, janitor of town hall to Feb. 18, 1885, and supplies,	35 15
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	\$214 12
Received for use of hall,	\$129 15

## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Paid George Goodwin, abatement of tax, 1882, over-valuation,	1 60
George Goodwin, abatement of tax, 1881, over-valuation,	6 30
Stephen Knight, abatement of tax, 1883, error,	3 60
Leroy A. Wentworth, abatement of tax, 1884, property taxed twice,	3 00
Lydia Hill, abatement of tax, 1884, error,	74
John Tibbetts, abatement of poll-tax, 1884, dead,	2 50
Weeks & Cheney, abatement of tax, 1884. property over-taxed,	4 00
Simon Tibbetts, abatement of tax, 1884, over 70,	
Freeman Jordon, abatement of tax, 1884, mill taxed twice,	9 00
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	\$30 74

THE FOLLOWING ABATEMENTS WERE MADE TO  
PORTER HOBBS, COLLECTOR FOR 1882.

James M. Perkins,	2 00
Samuel Houston,	2 00
James S. Littlefield,	2 00
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	\$6 00

PORTER HOBBS, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF  
SANFORD.

1884.	DR.
Feb. 23. To amount due on settlement,	\$37 24
1885.	CR.
Jan. 31. By treasurer's receipt for town orders returned,	\$37 24

ABATEMENTS MADE TO HOSEA WILLARD, FEB. 21,  
1885, ON ASSESSMENT OF 1883.

Julia A. Clark, personal property,	\$ 45
John F. Carter, poll tax,	2 00
George Duncan, dead,	2 00
Harry Downing, property taxed twice,	5 40
Lew Ginger, balance due on poll tax, left town,	1 00
John Hurd, left town,	2 00
James M. Libby, "	2 00
James S. Littlefield, "	2 00
John H. Maddox, "	2 00
J. A. Maddox, "	2 00
James W. Perkins, not to be found,	2 00
Albert A. Spinney, left town,	2 00
Milbury Smith, not to be found,	2 00
William H. Wilson, taxed twice,	2 00
Alpha F. Ham,	2 00
Samuel Houston, poll, \$2; property, 72c,	2 72

## POLL TAX, 1884.

David Allen, dead,	2 50
James W. Berry, poll tax, \$2.50; property taxed twice, 80 cts.,	3 30
Joseph Cram, dead,	2 00
Geo. Duncan, dead,	2 50
Frank G. Davis, error,	2 50
A. J. Fernald, error,	2 50
Francis Hamilton, sick,	2 50
Nathaniel F. Hurd, over 70,	2 50
Samuel Houston,	2 50
Charles S. Johnson, error,	2 50

James S. Littlefield, not to be found,	2 50
Alfred Mercier, left town,	2 50
Joel E. Maddox, "	2 50
James W. Perkins, not to be found,	2 50
Chas. Packard, left town,	2 50
Joseph D. Pray, not to be found,	2 50
Milbury Smith, " "	2 50
Morris Webber,	2 50
Henry Welsh, error,	2 50
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	\$81 73

ABATEMENT OF NON-RESIDENT TAXES TO  
B. F. HANSON.

Thaddeus Allen Wells, 1880,	57
Christopher Hussey, "	8 16
Thaddeus Allen Wells, 1881,	61
Daniel Emery, Great Falls, N. H., 1881,	43
Singer Sewing Machine Co., 1881,	1 72
" " " 1882,	1 60
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	\$13 08

SCHOOL MONEY.

Amount of school money raised by town,	\$2200 00
Received from State school fund and mill tax,	1299 40
State railroad and telegraph tax,	64 82
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	\$3564 22

The following amount not drawn is credited the several school districts:

District No. 1,	\$72 10
2,	43 78
3,	3 10
4,	42 07
6,	5 38
7,	2 42
8,	2 10
9,	17
10,	15 45
12,	13 05
13,	57
16,	2 10
17,	13 35
18,	61
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	\$216 25

#### HOSEA WILLARD IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF SANFORD.

1884	DR.	
Feb. 23.	To amount due on settlement,	\$2789 80
May 31,	" of State tax committed,	2623 20
" "	County "	615 07
" "	Town "	10,050 00
" "	Overlay "	307 64
" "	Supplementary tax committed,	85 00

May 31. To amount Railroad and telegraph tax,	64 82
"                " School fund and mill tax,	1,299 40
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	\$17834 93

1884

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June 3rd.	By Treasurer's receipt for non resident taxes returned for 1883,	\$137 80
Oct. 10.	By treasurer's receipt for town orders returned,	1996 67
Nov. 4th,	By treasurer's receipt for cash,	165 00
Dec. 17,	" " town orders returned,	4,244 26
"	By treasurer's receipt for County Treasurer's receipt,	315 07
"	By treasurer's receipt for Cash,	200 00
1885		
Jan. 3,	" " town orders returned,	560 56
" 13,	By treasurer's receipt for town orders returned,	158 47
"	By treasurer's receipt for State Treasurers receipt for State tax, 1884,	2623 20
"	By treasurer's receipt for Cash,	130 00
Feb. 18,	" " Bal. of County tax,	300 00
"	By treasurer's receipt for town orders returned,	1407 80
" 21,	By treasurer's receipt for Cash,	80 78
"	" " town orders returned,	1370 22
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		\$13,689 83
Balance in hands of Hosea Willard, Collector.		4145 10

BENJ. F. HANSON, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH  
THE TOWN OF SANFORD, FOR 1884.

Feb. 23, 1884.	DR.	
To balance due on settlement,	\$3,529	44
April 7, to cash from selectmen for license,	10	00
May 8, " " from town of North Berwick, for supplies furnished Horace A. Joy,	3	00
May 31, to estate tax committed to collector,	2,623	20
" to county tax " "	615	07
" to summer highway tax "	2,500	00
" to winter " "	1,500	00
" to schools "	2,200	00
" to support of poor "	700	00
" to incidental "	800	00
" to building new road at Sanford Corner, com- mitted to collector,	150	00
" to building new road leading to Alfred Gore, committed to collector,	2,000	00
" to Willard Post, No. 70, G. A. R., committed to collector,	75	00
" to purchasing weights and measures, committed to collector,	125	00
" to overlay, committed to collector,	307	64
" to cash from selectmen for use of town hall,	129	15
July 30, " " License	12	50
Sept. 23, " " "	15	00
Nov. 24, " " Town of Alfred for perambulating town line between Sanford and Alfred, 1883,	6	00
Nov. 24, to cash from town of Alfred for perambulating town line between Sanford and Alfred, 1884,	8	50

Jan. 2, to cash from selectmen for oxen sold,	132 50
Jan. 13, to amount of State school fund and mill tax,	1,299 40
" to railroad and telegraph tax,	9 00
Jan. 31, to cash from town of North Berwick, for supplies furnished Horace A. Joy,	19 89
Feb. 19, to supplementary tax,	85 00
" 20, to interest collected on non-resident taxes,	7 34
" 20, to cash from selectmen for poll tax,	2 00
" 23, to cash from W. E. Quint, for board of colt,	8 00
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	\$18,872 63

1884.	Cr.
June 17, by interest on Ivory Hatch, note to June 1, 1884,	\$ 80 56
July 8, by interest on S. J. Allen, note to June 1, 1884,	36 00
Oct. 23, by orders this day returned and punched, 1885.	3,058 56
Jan. 3, by orders this day returned and punched,	4,874 77
Jan. 31, by interest paid Porter Hobbs on Clark note, to July 11, 1884,	20 00
Feb. 20, by county treasurer's receipt for county tax for 1884,	615 07
Feb. 20, by State treasurer's receipt State tax for 1884,	2,623 20
Feb. 20, by orders this day returned and punched,	1,638 77
Feb. 23, " " "	1,394 71
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	\$14,341 64
Balance in hands of treasurer,	\$4,530 99

## TOWN LIABILITIES.

1885.

Feb. 25.	Due from town on outstanding orders,	\$ 814 14
	Due Ivory Hatch note,	1,007 00
	Due interest on above note,	29 31
	Due Sarah J. Allen, Horace Whitham note,	900 00
	Due interest on above note,	26 19
	Due Porter Hobbs note,	500 00
	Due interest on above note,	14 55
	Due for breaking roads this winter,	600 00
	Due Hosea Willard, collector for 1884,	125 00
	Due William E. Quint, for services on town farm,	5 00
	Due several school districts,	216 25
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		\$4,237 44

## TOWN ASSETS.

Due from B. F. Hanson, treasurer,	\$4,530 99
H. L. Gowen,	130 00
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Excess of assets over liabilities,	\$4,660 99
	423 55

Among the assets of the town is a note of \$130.00, due from H. L. Gowen, for oxen sold, which has been reported for

several years, and as the note will probably never be paid, we would recommend that the amount of said note be stricken from the reports in the future, so that they will show the actual standing of the town.

Respectfully submitted,

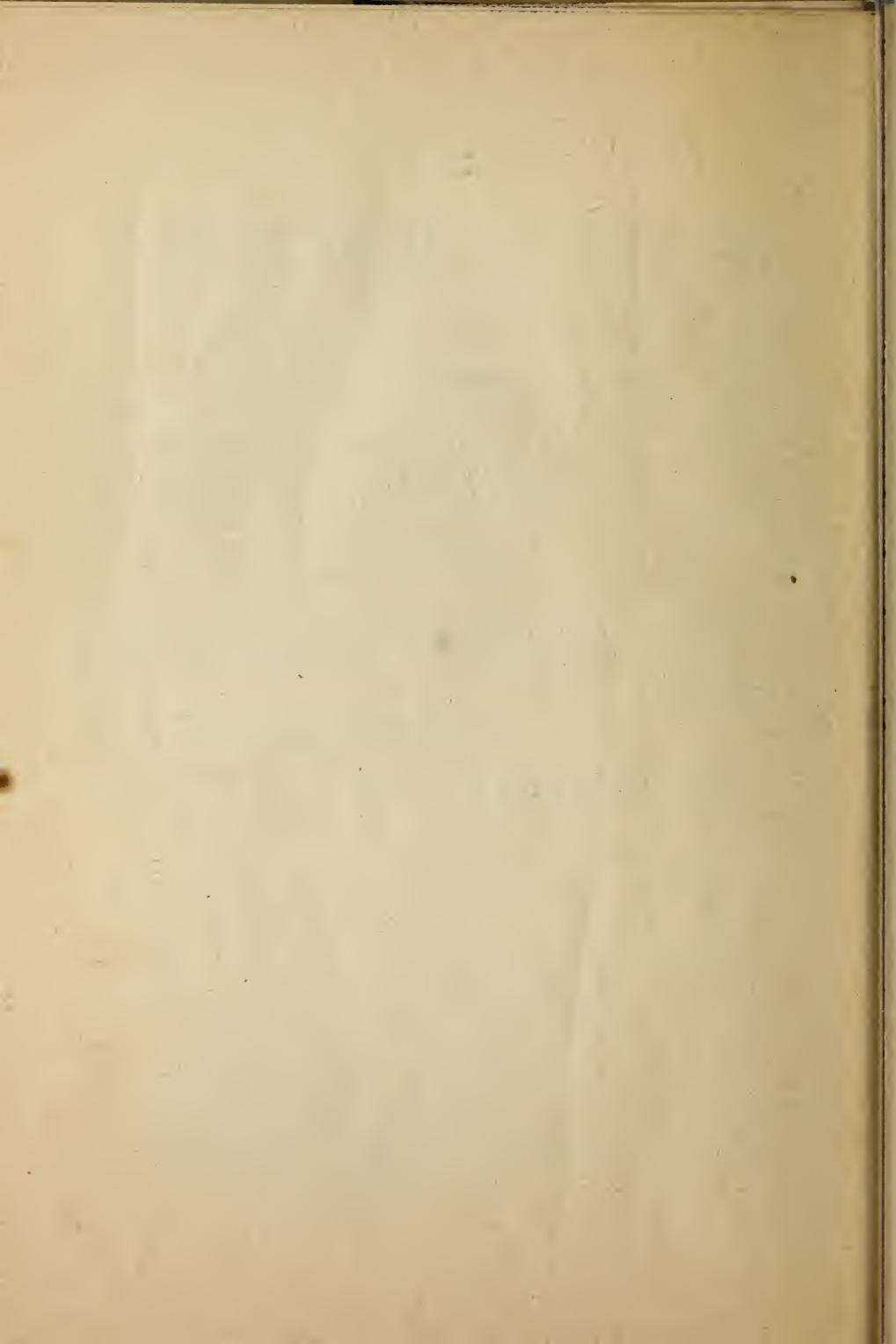
CHARLES O. EMERY, 2nd, } *Selectmen*  
J. G. WILKINSON, }  
GEORGE BENNETT, } *of*  
                          } *Sanford.*

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This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the town of Sanford, as shown me by the Selectmen, and find them correct.

GEORGE E. ALLEN, *Auditor.*

Sanford, Feb. 23rd, 1885.



# SUPERVISOR'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 23d, 1885.

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As will be seen by the following synopsis there is considerable difference in the amount of instruction received by the scholars in the several districts. No one will deny that every child has a right to as many and as good school privileges, at the public expense, as every other child, without regard to locality. Under the district system, the school money must be distributed in proportion to the number of scholars. Under the town system, it stands as a fund common for the support of all. Another fault of the district system, to which I would call attention, is the waste of money in maintaining schools where the number of scholars is too small to do so profitably. Then, too, it may happen, that in the hiring of teachers, the agent, not having to examine the teacher, nor visit the school to examine carefully into its needs, even when he would, does not get the best teacher for his particular school.

The supervisor may know this, and yet the circumstances be such that he may feel compelled to grant a certificate. Under the town system, the responsibility and authority rests with your school committee or supervisor; being more responsible would not the supervisor be more efficient?

The furnace in the schoolhouse in District No. 2, is entirely inadequate to warm the rooms. Much of the time this winter the thermometer did not show 50° F., for the day. The schoolhouse in District No. 16, has been thoroughly repaired, and is now in excellent condition. The schoolhouse in District No.

9, has been repaired somewhat, and improved, but the black-boards need repainting. School in this district interrupted to a degree, by the mumps, (during the first term).

The work of the teachers and scholars, during the year, has been generally creditable. Miss Shattuck is an experienced teacher, and, I believe, capable of doing better work than she did. Willis Poindexter began the school in District No. 11, but rapidly failing health compelled him to resign, after a few days' work. I am very sorry that it was necessary to expel four of the largest scholars in District No. 17. Miss Perkins has proved herself, both here and in other districts, a fit teacher, and she should have had the hearty co-operation of all. Scholars do more and greater injury to themselves, than to any one else, by adopting any course, that will, in any way, interfere with the legitimate work of the school-room.

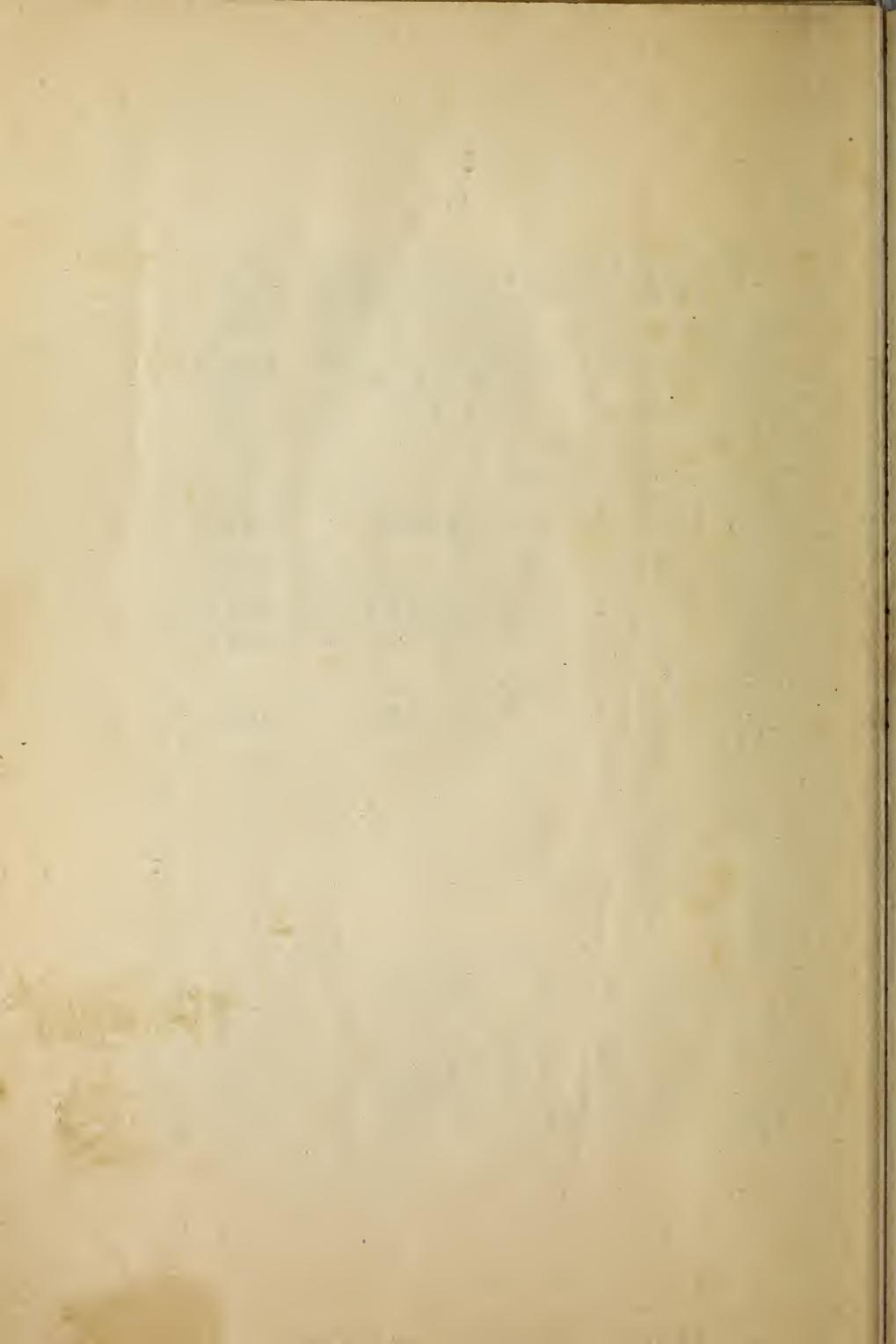
The value of securing good teachers, and retaining them when once their fitness has been proved, is well illustrated by the success of the school in district thirteen. No teacher in town has been able to secure the prompt and uninterrupted attendance of pupils, so well as Miss Belle Allen, this year as well as last. A model teacher is worth a half more the second term than the first. One can learn the peculiarities of mind, and the best manner of calling out the best efforts of each scholar, more and more as he becomes better acquainted with him.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

F. L. DURGIN,

*Supervisor.*

Dist	AGENT.	No. of Am't Dis- tributed. Scho's.	No. of W'ks.	Dist	No. W'ks.	TEACHERS.
1	E. C. Frost.....	236	\$ 932 28	1	29	M. B. Milan.
2	S. Estes.....	279	1,088 52	2	29	George Hanson.
3	Walter Cram.....	44	191 44	3	26	M. Shaw.
4	Samuel Morrison.....	26	123 13	4	23	Mrs. Frost.
5	Joseph Ridley.....	23	125 07	5	21	E. C. Frost.
6	Jason G. Davis.....	29	136 17	6	22	Jennie Lord.
7	Otis R. Witcher.....	12	82 21	7	16	S. A. Benedict.
8	James P. Allen.....	20	112 02	8	21	Lulu Clark.
9	Orlando Grant.....	24	104 42	9	20	J. Shattuck.
10	Lewis Chadbourn.....	27	127 48	10	18	May Allen.
11	Albert H. Johnson.....	11	77 86	11	17	Lillian Roberts.
12	James M. Phillips.....	3	13 05	12		Frank Low.
13	I. C. Allen.....	21	116 35	13	22	Julia S. Moulton.
16	Jacob H. Chadbourn.....	21	116 35	16	17	Kate Allen.
17	Lorenzo Dow.....	27	127 48	17	18	Carrie A. Abbott.
18	Frank W. Smith.....	16	69 62			Annie L. Allen.
20	Daniel Grant.....	1		3	85	Myra E. Goodwin.
						W. I. Thyng.
						Ida B. Mann.
						Addie Nowell.
						Mrs. F. H. Tebbets.
						Belle Allen.
						Lydia F. Shaw.
						Lillian R. Perkins.



# TOWN WARRANT.

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To CHAS. O. EMERY, a Constable in the town of Sanford.

GREETING.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Sanford, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the town house in said town on the ninth day of March, A. D., 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1st.—To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2d.—To choose a committee to assort and count the vote.

Article 3d.—To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Article 4th.—To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance and support of schools, and the poor, and the repair of roads and bridges, and to defray all other town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 5th.—To see if the town will direct that the money raised for the repairs of roads and bridges the ensuing year, be assessed and collected as a money tax

Article 6th.—To see what amount per hour they will allow men and oxen and horses and plows, while at work on the roads in summer, and what amount per hour in winter; and to see what directions they will give in regard to laying out the said money in the summer and winter.

Article 7th.—To see what discount the town will make on all taxes collected before the first day of January, A. D., 1886; also what rate of interest the town will charge on all taxes remaining unpaid Jan. 1st, A. D. 1886.

Article 8th.—To see if the town will compensate in whole or in part, Simon Goodwin for money he paid out in defending a prosecution on complaint of Joel E. Moulton against him, wherein said Goodwin was acting as surveyor in repairing the roads in district No. 38, and raise money for the above purpose.

Article 9th.—To see if the town will vote and raise a sum of money for the purpose of aiding Willard Post, No. 70, Grand Army of the Republic, of this town, to properly observe Memorial Day, and how much.

Article 10th.—To see if the town will vote to pay Dr. J. S. Parker for medical attendance and medicine furnished Geo. Duncan.

Article 11th.—To see if the town will vote to accept a highway running from Hardscrabble road so-called, near the house of Jacob H. Ellis, in the village of Sanford, to and past the house of Frank Gerrish sixty rods, more or less, to Hosea Willard's lane, so-called, thence through said lane to highway leading from Sanford to Alfred, thirty rods, more or less, as laid out by the selectmen of Sanford, Feb 7, A. D., 1885, certificate of which was filed by

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said selectmen in the Town Clerk's office, Feb. 11, A. D., 1885; and to see if the town will vote to raise such a sum of money as may be necessary to build said road and pay land damages as assessed by said selectmen.

**Article 12.**—To see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer to sell and convey the right and title which the town has, the property deeded by Wm. Cram to the town of Sanford, for what he thinks a reasonable sum.

**Article 13.**—To see if the town will pay to Chas. H. Ogden the amount of damage sustained by him to the business and stock in trade by being flooded by water March 26th, 1884, and to see what action the town will take in relation to the water courses in the future.

**Article 14th.**—To see if the town will vote to appropriate the amount received for the use of Hall for the ensuing year to buy settees for the same.

**Article 15th.**—To see if the town will vote to widen the platform in the town hall three feet and raise it one and one half feet higher, for the use of entertainments.

**Article 16th.**—To see if the town will vote to pay the constables for warning watch and ward, and also the citizens who performed the duties of watchmen in our streets, as directed by the Justices of Peace and municipal officers, and raise money for the same.

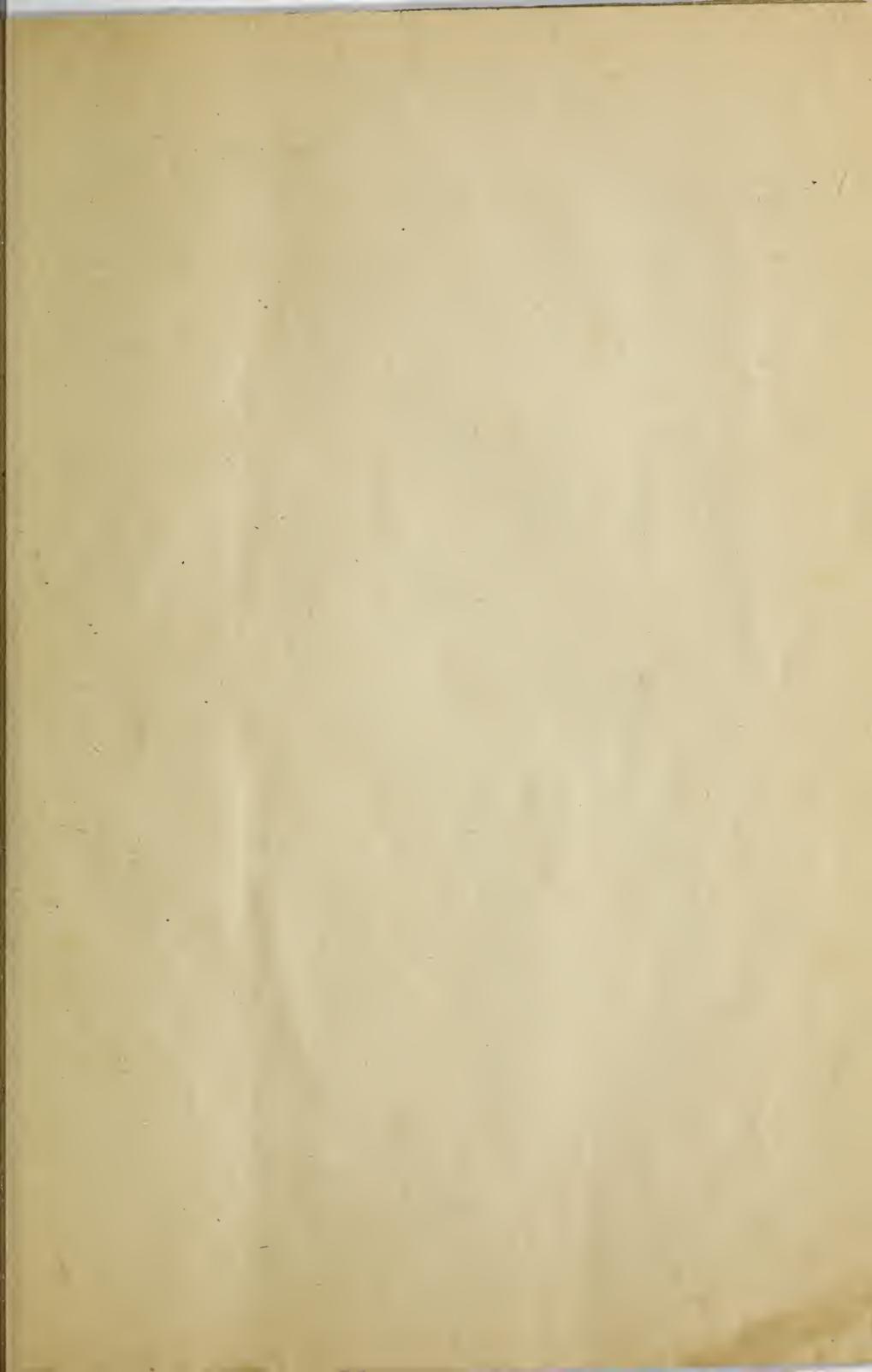
**Article 17th.**—To see if the town will vote to purchase a safe to keep the town's books in, and to raise money to pay for the same.

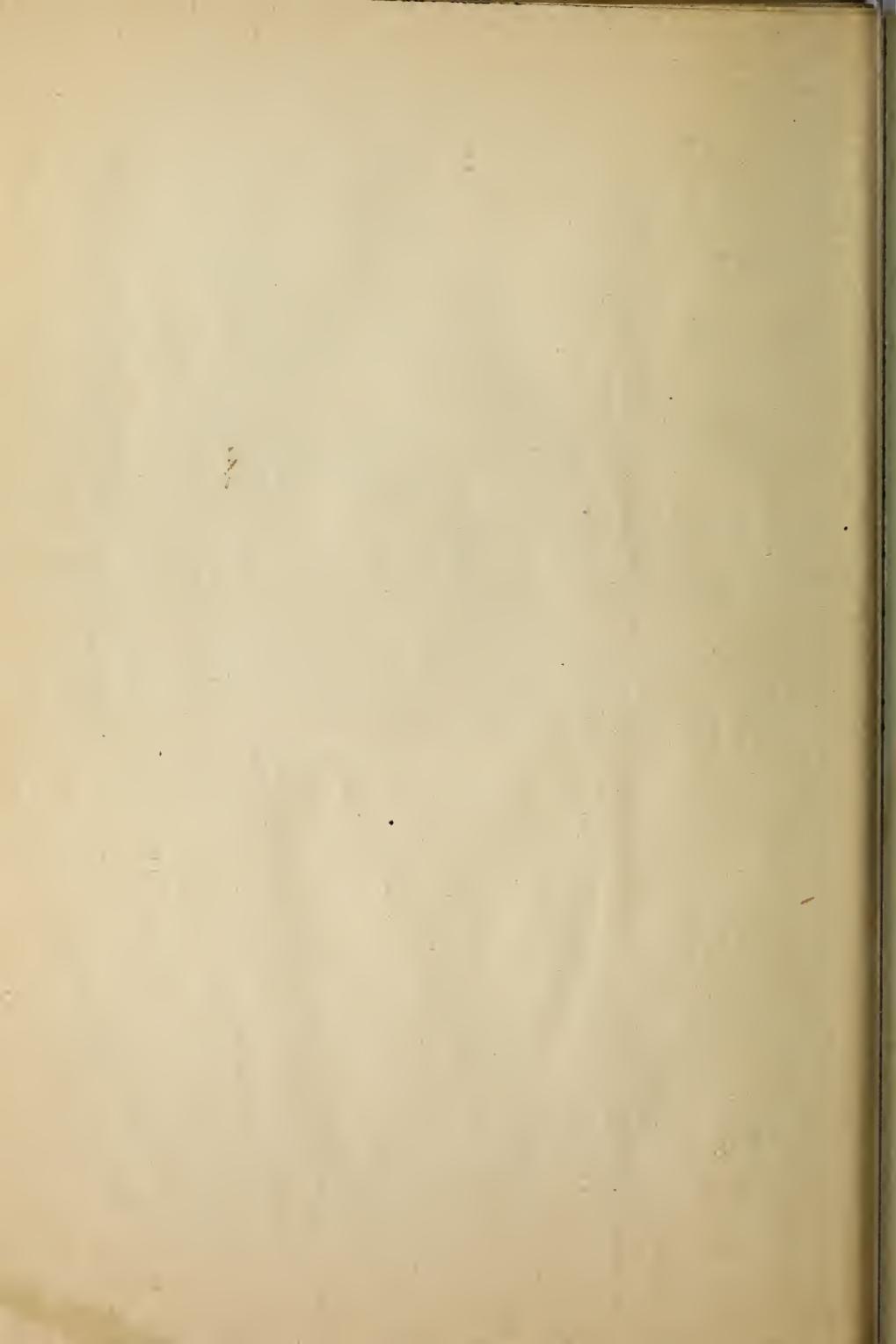
**Article 18th.**—To see if the town will appropriate \$200 for the purpose of grading Main and Washington streets, and making water courses for conveying the surface water into the cesspools or Mousam River.

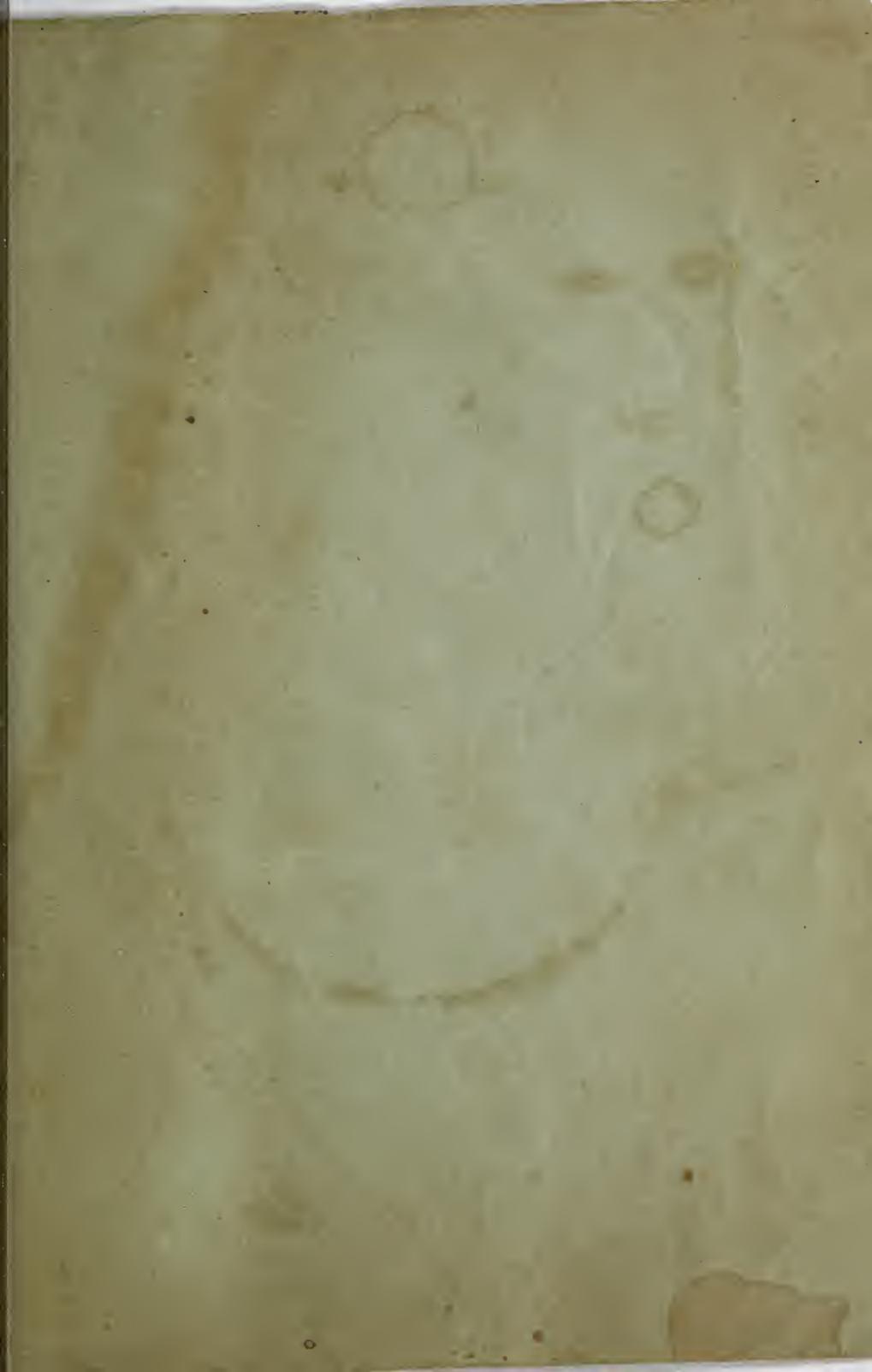
The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting and revising the list of voters, at the town house on Saturday, March 7th, A. D., 1885, from 2 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., and at 9 o'clock A. M. on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sanford this twenty-third day of February, A. D. 1885.

CHAS. O. EMERY 2d, } SELECTMEN  
J. G. WILKINSON, } OF  
GEORGE BENNETT. } SANFORD.







 FURNITURE AND CARPETS. 

## SPRING OF 1885.

I would again call your attention to my

### LARGE ASSORTMENT OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

WHICH IS MORE COMPLETE THAN EVER BEFORE!

CARPETS were never so low as at the present time, and being satisfied that prices would be higher, I have bought largely, and can show a line that will please.

 A Full Line of MOUSAM RIVER MILLS SMYRNA RUGS.

I have added very much to my WINDOW SHADE DEPARTMENT, and can show you many new styles of DADO SHADES, PULLS, CORNICE POLES, Etc., Etc.

— THE HANDSOMEST —

### Painted Chamber Set,

EVER SHOWN IN THE STATE.

PLUSH PARLOR SUITS, upholstered in Goodall Brothers' BEST MOHAIR PLUSH!

A JOB LOT OF

 1,000 ROLLS OF ROOM PAPER. 

At less than regular price!

 NEW PATTERNS OF PRINTED AND WHITE GRANITE WARE!

I shall, as heretofore, endeavor to make prices as LOW, OR LOWER THAN CAN BE FOUND ELSEWHERE, and solicit a share of your patronage.

RESPECTFULLY,

S. B. EMERY.

SANFORD, ME., March 1st, 1885.

GOODS SOLD ON INSTALLMENTS.

 CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE.

ROOM PAPERS AND BORDERS, WINDOW SHADES.

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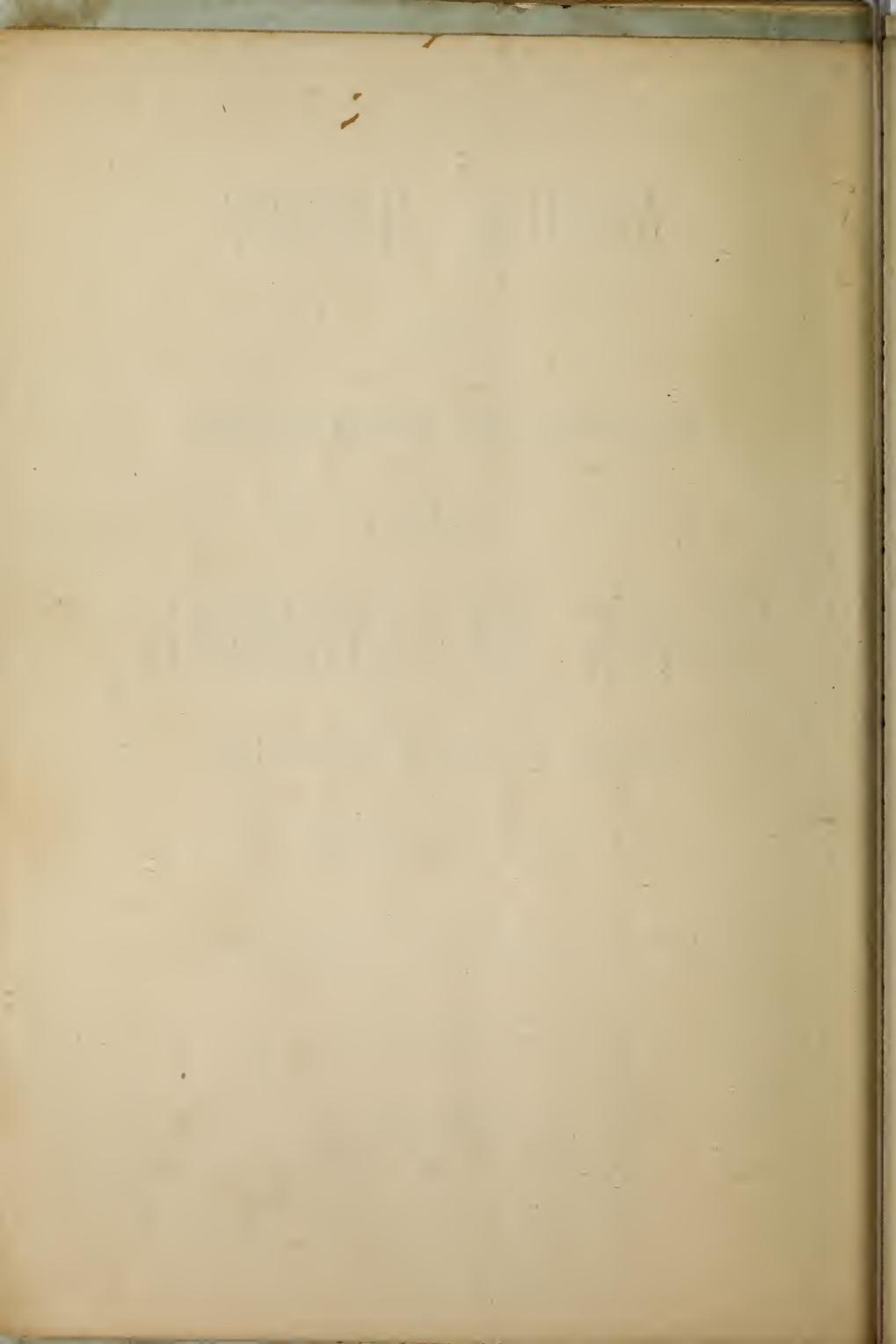
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# SELECTMEN'S REPORT

FROM FEB. 23, '85, TO FEB. 23, '86.

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## INCIDENTAL.

Amount appropriated,	\$800 00
Paid George E. Allen, auditing Selectmen's accounts Feb. 23, '85	5 00
W. A. Allen, printing town reports and blank orders,	38 00
Chas. H. Ogden, damage sustained by washout, by vote of town,	150 00
T. P. James, printing selectmen's notices,	1 50
Frank H. Dexter, printing selectmen's notices,	1 50
J. G. Wilkinson, services after settlement,	6 25
W. A. Allen, books for selectmen's office, and printing surveyor's blanks,	16 00
T. P. James, for printing selectmen's notices,	2 25
Chas. O. Emery, 2nd, money paid out for legal advice,	9 10
Frank H. Dexter, printing notices for town meet- ing,	1 50
Kimball Bros. & Co., for lamps, shades and oil, for office,	2 43
T. P. James, for printing selectmen's notices,	2 75
Frank H. Dexter, for advertising non-resident taxes,	7 00
F. L Durgin, M. D., for vaccine virus,	20 00
W. A. Allen, for books for selectmen's office,	7 59

Paid George Bennett, for money paid B. F. Hanson, for non-resident taxes of Thomas Ricker for years 1882, 1883-84, property sold to town,	6 75
F. L. Durgin, M. D., for vaccinating 127 citizens of Sanford,	31 75
Ivory Brooks, M. D., for vaccinating 156 citizens of Sanford,	39 00
C. O. Emery, for calling four town meetings,	6 00
W. A. Allen, for printing check lists,	11 50
Hosea Willard, postage, stationery, &c.,	5 85
Hosea Willard, services as collector for 1884,	125 00
George Bennett, for enrolling militia,	4 50
George Bennett, postage, stationery, wood, &c., for selectmen's office,	12 84
John Merrill, 2nd, for enrolling militia,	3 75
E. C. Frost, services as supervisor,	92 50
Chas. O. Emery, 2nd, for enrolling militia,	4 50
Chas. O. Emery, 2nd, services as selectman, as- sessor, and overseer of the poor,	80 00
George Bennett, for services as selectman, asses- sor, and overseer of the poor,	111 20
John Merrill, 2nd, for services as selectman, as- sessor and overseer of the poor,	61 00
Willis A. Fogg, for record book for town clerk's office,	2 50
B. F. Hanson, services as treasurer for 1885,	30 00
B. F. Hanson, for stationery and postage for treasurer's office,	4 00
Frank Wilson, for laying out streets, and making returns,	4 00
	\$907 51

The incidental expenses for the past year have been larger  
than usual, on account of having paid Chas. H. Ogden \$150  
and the bills for vaccination.

## TOWN FARM.

Paid Nahum and Chas. Hurd, for Oxen,	\$150 00
William E. Quint, for services to April 1, 1885,	
balance due,	25 00
George F. Gowen, for manure,	15 00
William H. Welch, for one shoat and four pigs,	19 00
Mary J. Johnson, for work,	9 00
Kimball Bros. & Co., for shorts and flour delivered in March, 1885,	9 00
Simon Stackpole, for painting buildings,	10 00
William H. Welch, services from April 1, to October 1, 1885,	125 00
James A. Saywards, for shingles,	36 40
Orrin Roberts, for blacksmith work,	1 80
Hosea Willard, for cow,	50 00
Frank E. Jones, for shingling house,	13 21
S. B. Emery, for wall paper,	1 18
Hosea Willard, tax on town farm in school Dist.	
No 10,	2 76
Sanford Mills, for oil vitriol,	5 60
George Gauthier & Co., for paint, oil and nails,	16 04
Samuel Nowell, for cultivator teeth and bolts,	4 50
C. O. Emery, for wood,	12 37
S. & E. M. Estes, for medicine,	4 42
Emery & Batchelder, for supplies,	9 17
Roberts Bros. for labor on well,	12 00
John B. Clark, for planing and sawing lumber,	50
George G. Plummer, for hauling wood for farm,	7 00
B. F. Hanson, supplies for farm,	10 00
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	\$548 95

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By cash for cow sold,	25 00
from Wm. E. Quint, for products sold,	2 61
from selectmen, for oxen sold,	152 50
for shoat sold by Wm. H. Welch,	12 96
apples, "     "     "     "     "	30 00
calf,     "     "     "     "	5 00
from C. A. Bodwell, for William Cram house,	175 00
" O. T. Cram,     "     "     "     lot,	5 00
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	\$408 07

We commenced to dig a well, but were unable to finish it last fall, and now think it advisable for the town to have water brought from the old well through pipe. We have also made some repairs, have had house shingled, painted on inside, &c. We employed William H. Welch and wife to carry on the town farm for the past year and for their services agreed to pay them \$250 for one year from April 1, 1885. Mr. Welch has sold from the farm, butter to the amount of \$130.88, eggs, \$15.84, other products, and labor from farm, \$104.76. He has paid Kimball Bros. & Co.'s and Nowell & Libby's bills for groceries and grain, \$149.32, and on other bills for supplies, \$54.20, and paid over to the treasurer, \$47.96. Mrs. Welch has repaired the bedding and we find it all in a good condition. We find Mr. Welsh a trustworthy man and think the town would do well to procure his services for another year.

There are now on the farm 4 cows, 2 shoats, 26 hens, 6 tons of English hay,  $\frac{1}{2}$  ton straw, 7 bushels barley,  $2\frac{1}{4}$  bushels white beans,  $\frac{1}{2}$  bushel colored beans,  $\frac{3}{4}$  bushel peas, 10 bushels wheat, 6 bushels shelled corn, 1 bbl. pork, 8 bushels beets, turnips and carrots, 70 bushels potatoes, sorted, 12 bushels apples, 2 bushels onions,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  barrels salted cucumbers, 6 barrels

cider, 30 pounds cabbage, 15 pounds dried apples, 1 barrel flour, 16 pounds lard, 20 pounds butter,  $\frac{1}{2}$  barrel crackers, 39 quilts and comforters, all in good condition, 39 sheets, 42 pillow cases, 6 blankets and 1 rubber blanket, 11 feather beds, 12 straw ticks, 23 pillows, 12 iron bedsteads, 4 table cloths, 8 roller towels, 1 clothes wringer, 1 washing machine, 1 extension table, 2 square tables, 12 desert spoons, 12 tea-spoons, 12 knives and forks, *all silver*, crockery ware, jars, knives and forks, &c., —a good supply, 56 milk pans, 1 good cook stove, 1 new sitting-room stove, 1 small stove, 2 plows, 2 ox cultivators, 1 ox harrow, 1 horse cultivator, 1 pair ox wheels and cart, 1 pair bob sleds, 3 chains, 1 grindstone and fixtures, 2 wood saws, 1 ox yoke, bows, ring and staple, 4 hay forks, 2 manure forks, 3 shovels, 1 pickaxe, 1 potato hoe, 2 hand hoes, 1 garden rake, 1 bush scythe, and snath, 1 scythe and snath, 2 hand rakes, 1 drag rake, 1 axe, 1 hammer, 5 tie chains, 8 cords and 3 feet of hard wood and 4 cords of soft wood, all fitted for the stove, 1500 feet of lumber. The following named persons are now on the farm: Elanor Paul, 83; James Tibbetts, 80; William Cram, 80; Eunice Joy, 61; Lizzie Goodwin was on the farm 10 weeks.

Due William H. Welch, for services on farm to date, \$98.96.

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#### PAUPER EXPENSES.

Paid Town of Lebanon, supplies furnished Oliver Hanson's family,	\$12 00
J. G. Wilkinson, expense to Lebanon, two trips after Oliver Hanson's family,	3 00
George A. Willard, putting tramps in lockup,	1 50
Ebenezer Hanson, supplies furnished Oliver Hanson's family,	16 00

Paid J. S. Parker, medical examination of Eunice Joy,	2 00
Wesley Temple, sawing wood for Mrs. Eunice Joy,	1 25
Mrs. J. M. Pillsbury, for coffin and robe for Abbie Littlefield,	12 60
Ebenezer Hanson, supplies furnished Oliver Hanson's family,	13 50
F. L. Durgin, medical examination of Eunice Joy.	2 00
Samuel Gowen, for digging grave for Abbie Littlefield,	1 50
Kimball Bros. & Co , for wood, and sawing the same for Mrs. Eunice Joy,	5 12
Sarah Allen, for taking care of Mrs Lucinda Allen while sick,	7 00
E. & E. E. Goodwin, for supplies furnished Abel Londo,	14 00
Mrs. J. M Pillsbury, for coffin and box for Mrs. Lucinda Allen,	11 00
Kimball Bros. & Co., wood for Mrs. Lucinda Allen,	3 00
Nancy and Zuba Bennett, for taking care of Mrs. Lucinda Allen while sick,	7 00
Nowell & Libby, for goods furnished Mrs. Lucinda Allen,	5 19
E. C. Cook, attending funeral of Mrs. Lucinda Allen,	2 00
Walter Cram, for wood for Mrs. Lucinda Allen,	2 75
B. F. Hanson, for wood for Mrs. Eunice Joy,	4 00
Kimball Bros & Co., for wood for Mrs. Eunice Joy,	3 00
S. & E. M. Estes, for medicine for Mrs. Lucinda Allen,	3 99

Paid Kimball Bros. & Co., for crackers and cheese for tramps,	9 45
F. L. Durgin, M. D., medical attendance,	35 00
George Bennett, for wood for lockup, and put- ting up 61 tramps,	12 20
Chas. O. Emery, 2nd, for putting up tramps,	4 00
Chas. O. Emery, 2nd, for advice in pauper cases, horse hire, &c.,	5 66
E. & E. Goodwin, for supplies furnished James A. Bragdon's family, Wells paupers,	6 63
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	\$198 34

Due from the town of Wells, for supplies fur-  
nished James A. Bragdon's family, \$6 63

### ROADS.

Amount appropriated for summer, \$2,500 00

We have expended on the roads the past summer, for which  
orders have been drawn as worked by the several district sur-  
veyors, with extra money ordered by selectmen, as follows :

District No. 1,	Lewis Chadbourn, Surveyor,	\$ 62 71
2,	Herbert R. Welch, "	70 24
3,	Nathaniel Y. Morrill, "	45 56
4,	George E. Nowell, "	51 18
5,	Hiram H. Ford, "	37 22
6,	Samuel Morrison, "	61 17
7,	James W. Butler, "	64 07
8,	Nahum P. Allen, "	62 71
9,	Stephen Moulton, "	64 73
10,	George W. Gowen, "	39 86

District No.	11,	C. H. Greenough,	Surveyor,	29 00
12,	A. K. Ridley,	"	54 60	
13,	E. K. Bennett,	"	193 38	
14,	G. G. Plummer,	"	51 04	
15,	Walter Cram,	"	72 96	
16,	Wentworth Davis,	"	20 38	
17,	F. J. Tibbetts,	"	17 50	
18,	George L. Stillings,	"	31 22	
19,	Jeremiah Moulton,	"	28 00	
20,	Nathaniel F. Hurd,	"	46 27	
21,	Otis R. Willard,	"	52 87	
22,	George Jacobs,	"		
23,	Theodore F. Tibbetts,	"	76 97	
24,	Moses Jellison,	"	17 00	
25,	Nathaniel D. Jones,	"	39 53	
26,	Hiram Davis,	"	16 67	
27,	Frank N. Butler,	"	35 95	
28,	William Russell,	"	63 72	
29,	Silas B. Ridley,	"	180 29	
30,	Joseph Ridley,	"	89 17	
31,	W. L. Shaw,	"	41 36	
32,	Samuel Worster,	"	36 18	
33,	Orrin T. Hayward,	"	34 66	
34,	Charles S. Bennett,	"	25 36	
35,	Lorenzo Dow,	"	22 95	
36,	Charles O. Emery,	"	33 95	
37,	Jonathan R. Foster,	"	27 98	
38,	William B. Emery,	"	18 02	
39,	Joseph Shaw,	"	80 30	
				\$1996 73

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

The following is the amount paid out to keep the bridges and roads in repair, not laid out by the surveyors:

Paid C. O. Emery, for bridge plank,	\$33 87
C. H. Cram, for plank for bridge at Sanford Corner,	19 00
F. Jordan & Co., plank for Jellison's bridge,	28 63
John Merrill, 2nd., for work and money paid out in Dist. No. 7,	41 03
Stephen Lord, work in District No. 7,	7 50
Joseph Trafton, " " "	3 75
James W. Butler, " " "	7 25
Paid Robert Fernald, " " "	1 50
E. K. Bennett, for use of road-machine in District No. 7,	6 00
E. K. Bennett, for use of road-machine in District No. 14,	7 50
Samuel Gowen, work on highway in Dist. No. 13,	1 50
Chas. A. Philpot, " " " "	1 50
Edward Pike, " " " "	1 50
E. K. Bennett, for use of road-machine in District No. 9,	6 50
Theodore F. Tebbetts, for plank, railing, stringers, &c., for bridge near T. K. Bennett's,	26 25
Calvin Roberts, for labor on bridge at Sanford Corner,	17 75
Samuel Gowen, for labor on bridge at Sanford Corner,	4 50
Chas A. Philpot, for labor on bridge at Sanford Corner,	3 75
Edward K. Bennett, for carting stone for bridge at Sanford Corner,	4 00

Paid Lew Wiggin, for carting stone for bridge at Sanford Corner,	2 00
C. H. Cram, for rails and boards for bridge at Sanford Corner,	19 39
E. G. Murray, for services as auctioneer in 1884, on new road, leading from Springvale depot to Alfred Gore,	2 50
Nathaniel Y. Morrill, for labor on bridge in District No. 3,	2 45
Frank Sherburn, for labor on bridge at Sanford Corner,	1 75
E. K. Bennett, for use of road-machine and labor in District No. 15,	10 50
Nathaniel Y. Morrill, for labor on Kimball's bridge,	3 10
Chas. M. Goodwin, for labor in District 37,	1 50
John Morrison, " " "	9 50
Isaiah Shackley, " " "	75
John Merrill, 2nd, for money paid out, and labor on culvert near C. H. Ogden's,	28 72
Ed. D. Gerry, for labor on culvert in District 13,	5 00
Hosea Willard, for labor on Sanford Corner bridge,	9 25
Walter Cram, for plank for Kimball's bridge and culvert,	7 35
George W. Gowen, for labor on Sanford Corner bridge,	1 00
Sanford Mills, for plank and iron posts for bridges,	9 00
Portland Stone Ware Company, for drain pipe,	2 70
Samuel D. Tibbetts. for labor in District No. 1,	1 50
George Gauthier & Co., nails for bridge at Sanford Corner,	4 14

Paid Robert L. Webber, for labor on culvert at Sanford Corner,	4 00
Chas. S. Bennett, for railing culvert in District No. 34,	4 00
Moses Goodwin, damage to plow on highway in District No. 27,	5 00
T. H. Makin, for labor on culvert at Springvale, Freeman Goodwin, for labor in District No. 29,	2 00
F. & B. C. Jordan & Co., for plank for bridge near Jordan's mill,	10 00
Richard Shackley, for use of watering-trough, C. O. Emery, for labor in District No. 13,	20 77
W. A. Allen, for stone for Sanford Corner bridge,	3 00
W. H. Nason, for labor in District No. 13,	5 00
Freeman Jordan & Co., for plank for Springvale bridge,	2 50
O. G. Jones, for work on bridge at Sanford Corner,	11 68
	37 37
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	\$460 70
	\$1996 73
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Total amount expended,	\$2457 43

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#### BREAKING OF ROADS.

We have expended on the roads for the winter of 1884-85, for which orders have been drawn as marked by the several district surveyors :

District No. 1,	Charles F. Hanson, Surveyor,	\$39 45
2,	Frank Bean,	34 79
3,	Nathaniel Y. Morrill,	25 92
4,	Charles F. Derby,	43 03
5,	Hiram H. Ford,	37 32
6,	Dana Merrifield,	53 47
7,	E. G. Murray,	23 85
8,	Nahum P. Allen,	50 88
9,	Stephen H. Moulton,	27 12
10,	George W. Gowen,	18 87
11,	John Merrill, 2nd,	28 99
12,	Enos Harris,	37 55
13,	E. K. Bennett,	8 50
14,	Levi W. Bhadbourn,	27 38
15,	James C. Johnson,	34 00
16,	Wentworth C. Davis,	17 53
17,	F. J. Tibbetts,	26 75
18,	Moses Plummer,	29 82
19,	Jacob H. Ellis,	12 82
20,	Freeman C. Goodwin,	23 90
21,	W. L. Moulton,	29 50
22,	Albert L. Jacobs,	20 99
23,	Samuel Nowell,	24 07
24,	Moses Jellison,	2 10
25,	Frank Fall,	23 26
26,	Hiram Davis,	8 88
27,	Moses Goodwin,	25 34
28,	Lewis N. Perkins,	26 38
29,	Horace Witham,	14 41
30,	Asa Low,	10 29
31,	Frank S. Beal,	35 59
32,	Samuel Worster,	42 11
33,	Cyrus W. Ridley,	6 65
34,	Charles S. Bennett,	3 99

District No. 35,	Lorenzo Dow,	Surveyor,	23 20
36,	Charles O. Emery,	"	11 40
37,	Solomon Morrison,	"	30 32
38,	William B. Emery,	"	9 87
39,	Joseph Shaw,	"	20 00
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			\$970 29

## PAID WILLARD POST, NO. 70, G. A. R.

Amount paid by vote of town,	\$75 00
Amount appropriated for watch and ward,	50 00
Paid George A. Willard, for services,	6 50
Chas Otis, " "	2 00
James Allen, " "	2 00
Albert Littlefield, " "	2 00
George Sanborne, " "	2 00
James L. Allen, " "	4 00
Samuel Day, " "	2 00
Chas. O. Emery, services as constable and money paid out,	19 00
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	\$39 50

## TOWN HALL.

Paid Dana M. Merrifield, for wood,	\$4 00
Thomas H. Makin, janitor, from February 18, 1885, to April 10, 1885, and supplies,	4 09
George A. Willard, stove for town hall,	5 00
S. B. Emery, for lamps,	4 50

Paid George Gauthier & Co., for locks and keys,	2 48
Weeks & Cheney, for wood, oil, &c.,	21 92
A. L. Whitney, for services as janitor, and money paid out,	29 92
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	\$71 91
Received, for use of hall,	\$100 00

## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Paid Stephen Knight, abatement of tax, 1884, over-valuation,	\$4 00
Frank N. Butler, abatement for 1885, error,	2 16
Chester W. Hamilton, " " 1884, "	1 00
William P. True, " " 1885, "	2 16
B. F. Hanson, abatement of non-resident taxes, for years 1883-84, property taxed twice to Daniel Wentworth, Shapleigh, Me.,	95
John Ferguson & Son, abatement for 1885, over-valuation,	2 40
George G. Plummer, abatement for 1884-85, property taxed twice,	3 80
Charles H. Ogden, abatement of tax for year 1885, over-valuation,	1 80
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	\$18 27

ABATEMENTS MADE TO HOSEA WILLARD, FEB. 20,  
1886, ON ASSESSMENT OF 1883.

Perley Butler, poll tax, left town, \$2 00

Lewis Charland, poll tax,	\$2.00,	property, .90,	2 90
Harry Downing, property, cannot be found,			10 35
Samuel Guptill, poll tax, left town,			2 00
George H. Londo, poll tax,			2 00
Frank Ricker, " " not to be found,			2 00
Frank Sherburne, " "			2 00
John Weeman, " " \$2.00, personal property, .36,			2 36

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## POLL TAX, 1884.

Perley Butler, left town,	\$2 50
George Burnell,	2 50
Samuel Berry, poll tax, \$2 50, personal property, \$11,	13 50
William G. Goodwin, personal property,	10 00
Joseph King, left town,	2 50
George H. Londo,	2 50
John W. Lowery, left town,	2 50
Chas. H. Lord, " "	2 50
John B. Russell, " "	2 50
Frank Ricker, not to be found,	2 50
Edward E. Stone, left town,	2 50
J. H. Towne, " "	2 50
O. N. Wentworth, not to be found,	2 50
Wm. H. Wilson, taxed twice,	2 50
Austin F. Whitten, left town,	2 50
James H. Winkley,	2 50
Alphonso H. Whitney,	2 50
Edward T. Littlefield,	2 50

## POLL TAX, 1885.

Perley Butler, left town,	\$2 00
A. J. Fernald, not a resident,	2 00
W. G. Goodwin, personal property,	11 00
Orlando Grant, dead,	2 00
Francis Hamilton, sick,	2 00
George Hill, heirs of, personal property,	1 27
George F. Horne, dead,	3 08
Chas. W. Hussey,	2 00
Henry Hobert, left town,	2 00
Moses Jellerson, Jr., sick,	2 00
Haven Littlefield, left town,	3 71
Edward F. Littlefield,	2 00
Stephen H. Moulton, over seventy,	2 00
Horace Pray, property taxed twice,	7 61
John B. Russell, left town,	2 00
Frank Ricker, not to be found,	2 00
A. K. P. Shackley, personal property,	90
J. H. Towne, left town,	2 00
O. N. Wentworth, "	2 00
William H. Wilson, taxed twice,	2 00
Frank P. Waterhouse, left town,	2 00
James H. Winkley, dead,	2 00
John H. Hill,	2 00
Charles Giles,	2 00
Samuel Berry,	2 90
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	\$155 57

## SCHOOL MONEY.

Amount of school money raised by town,	\$2500 00
Received from State school fund and mill tax,	1330 04
State, railroad and telegraph tax,	8 99

The following amount not drawn is credited the several school districts :

District No.			
1,			\$393 67
2,			28 84
3,			2 99
4,			24 21
5,			2 59
6,			6 44
7,			6 07
8,			2 14
9,			
10,			12 20
11,			
12,			11 88
13,			7 29
16,			2 54
17,			9 10
18,			40
20,			
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			\$510 36

Below we give the returns as presented to us by the district clerk in School District No. 1.

TO THE ASSESSORS OF THE TOWN OF SANFORD : At a legal meeting of the legal voters of School District No. 1, in the town of Sanford, held at the school house in said district, on May 2, A. D. 1885.

On motion, voted that the district borrow the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800) for the purpose of erecting a school house and furnishing the same. Said money to be borrowed on four years time; one quarter to be assessed on the polls and

estates in said district each year, to wit: in the year 1886, 1887, 1888 and 1889, and that there be an agent elected to contract said loan, 22 voting therefor in the affirmative and 11 voting in the negative.

On motion, voted and chose R. A. Kempton agent to hire the money; this day voted to build and furnish said school house.

At an adjourned meeting of the legal voters of School District No. 1, in the town of Sanford, held on May 23, A. D. 1885.

On motion, voted that there be raised by loan the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300), in addition to the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800), which has heretofore been raised by this meeting, or such part thereof as may be necessary to complete and furnish said school house, and that the agent chosen by this meeting be and is hereby instructed to borrow the sum to be assessed and paid the same as said eight hundred dollars (\$800) is to be assessed and paid.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the records of School District No. 1, in the town of Sanford.

Attest: JOHN A. DENNETT, *Clerk.*

SANFORD, June 15, 1885.

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TO THE SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF SANFORD: At a legal meeting of the voters of School District No. 1, in the town of Sanford, held at the school house in said district on Dec. 26, A. D. 1885.

On motion, voted to raise the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200), in addition to the sums heretofore raised, to finish and furnish the new school house in said district, and you are

hereby notified and requested to assess the same upon the polls and estates of the inhabitants of said district, within one year from this date.

SANFORD, Dec. 26, 1885.

Attest: JOHN A. DENNETT, *Clerk,*

Of School District No. 1, Sanford.

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HOSEA WILLARD, COLLECTOR, IN ACCOUNT WITH  
THE TOWN OF SANFORD.

1885.	DR.	
Feb. 23.	To balance due on settlement,	\$4145 10
May 29.	" amount of State tax committed,	2459 63
"	" " County "	691 97
"	" Summer Highway "	2500 00
"	" Winter " "	1500 00
"	" School " "	2500 00
"	" Poor " "	800 00
"	" Incidental " "	800 00
"	" Willard Post No. 70, G. A. R., committed,	75 00
"	" Watch and Ward, "	.50 00
"	" Safe, "	300 00
"	" Overlay, "	466 69
"	" State School fund and Mill tax, "	1330 04
Feb. 23,	" Supplementary tax,	85 90
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		\$17,704 33

	CR.
1885	
May 1. By Treasurer's receipt for orders returned,	\$ 840 77
"        "        "        cash,	375 00
Aug 11.     "        "        non-resident tax- es returned,	174 35
"        By Treasurer's receipt for cash,	200 00
Sept. 9. "        "        orders returned,	1470 68
"        "        "        cash,	300 00
"    23. "    County Treasurer's receipt in part for County tax for 1885,	391 97
Dec. 26. "    Treasurer's receipt for orders returned,	3241 24
"    29. "    State Treasurer's receipt in part for State tax for 1885,	1129 59
1886	
Jan. 2. By State Treasurer's receipt for balance due for 1885,	1330 04
"    5. "    County Treasurer's "        " due for 1885,	300 00
Jan. 16. "    Treasurer's receipt for orders returned,	502 20
"    "        "        cash,	500 00
"    "        "        "        "	50 00
Feb. 13. "        "        "        orders returned,	1136 76
"    23. "        "        "        "        "	1536 87
"    "        "        "        cash,	731 00
"    "        "        "        orders returned,	155 57
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	\$14,366 04
Balance in hands of Hosea Willard, Collector,	3338 29

BENJ. F. HANSON, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH  
THE TOWN OF SANFORD.

	DR.
1885	
Feb. 23. To balance due on settlement,	\$4530 99

Feb. 26.	To cash from selectmen for license,	2 00
April 1.	" " " use of town hall,	12 00
" 16.	" cash from " license,	10 00
" "	" " cow sold from farm,	25 00
" "	" cash from " product sold from farm,	2 61
May 29.	" State tax committed to collector,	2459 63
" "	" County tax " "	691 97
" "	" Summer highway tax committed to collector,	2500 00
" "	" Winter " "	1500 00
" "	" Schools, committed to collector,	2500 00
" "	" Poor, " "	800 00
" "	" Incidental, " "	800 00
" "	" Willard Post No. 70, G. A. R., committed to collector,	75 00
" "	" Safe, committed to collector,	300 00
" "	" Watch and Ward, committed to collector,	50 00
" "	" Overlay, committed to collector,	466 69
Aug. 22.	" cash from selectmen, for oxen sold from farm,	152 50 .
1886		
Jan. 2.	" Railroad and Telegraph tax for 1885,	8 99
"	" State School fund and Mill tax,	1330 04
" 7.	" cash from selectmen for shoat sold from farm,	12 96
"	" cash from " license from Boston Comedy Company,	10 00
"	" cash from selectmen for license from All Star Variety Combination,	3 00

Jan. 7,	To cash from selectmen for license from Chas. E. Ham,	5 00
"	" cash from selectmen " "	3 00
"	" cash from selectmen " "	3 00
"	" cash from selectmen Chas. Guinness & Co.,	3 00
"	" cash from selectmen Simon Tibbetts,	2 00
"	" cash from selectmen Samuel Berry,	2 00
Feb. 6,	" cash from selectmen for apples sold from farm,	30 00
" 18,	" cash from " use of town hall,	88 00
" 6.	" cash " " license from A. L. Whitney,	3 00
" 19.	" cash from " calf sold from farm,	5 00
" 23.	" Supplementary tax,	85 90
"	" cash from Chas. A. Bodwell, for Wm. Cram house,	175 00
"	" cash from O. T. Cram, for William Cram lot,	5 00
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		\$18,650 28

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June 3.	By paid Ivory Hatch note, taken up,	\$1007 00
"	interest on Ivory Hatch note to June 1, 1885,	40 28
"	interest on Sarah J. Allen note to June 1, 1885,	36 00
Sept. 19.	Orders this day returned and punched,	2657 62
1886		
Jan. 2.	" " " "	3264 02

Jan.	2.	By State treasurer's receipt for State tax for 1885,	2459 63
"	5.	" County treasurer's " County tax for 1885,	691 97
"	18.	" paid Porter Hobbs note taken up and interest on same,	530 33
Feb.	6.	" Orders this day returned and punched,	550 89
"	13.	" " " "	1136 76
"	23.	" cash paid John Parsons' claim on Wm. Cram house,	44 50
"		" cash paid Elihu Parsons' " Wm. Cram house,	31 15
"		" cash paid Frank Wilson, for making deed Wm. Cram property,	75
"		" cash paid Walter Cram, for coffin, &c., for Lucinda Cram,	10 00
"		" Orders this day returned and punched,	1729 36
"		" paid Sarah J. Allen note taken up, and interest,	926 20
			\$15,116 46
Balance in hands of treasurer,			\$3,533 82

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TOWN LIABILITIES.

1886

Feb.	23.	Due from town on out-standing orders,	\$538 32
"		for breaking roads this winter,	350 00
"		Hosea Willard, collector for 1885,	125 00
"		William H. Welch, for services on farm,	98 96
"		several School districts,	510 36
			\$1622 64

## TOWN ASSETS.

Due from B. F. Hanson, treasurer,	\$3533 82
"    " H. L. Gowen,	130 00
"    " town of Wells,	6 63
Non-resident property sold to town for taxes,	6 75
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	\$3677 20
Excess of assets over liabilities,	\$2054 56

Owing to our not being able to procure the services of a mason until cold weather, we were obliged to postpone building the safe. The money appropriated for that purpose is still in the hands of the treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE BENNETT,  
JOHN MERRILL, 2nd, } Selectmen  
of  
Sanford.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the town of Sanford, as shown me by the selectmen, and find them correct.

DAN L. SHAW, *Auditor.*

SANFORD, Feb. 23, 1886.

# SUPERVISOR'S REPORT,

For year ending Feb. 23, 1886.

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On the whole the year has been a profitable one to the scholars of the town, and creditable progress has been made.

While the common studies,—reading, writing and arithmetic,—have received their due attention, in some of the schools the teachers have tried to raise the standard of scholarship and infuse new life into the school work by encouraging the pupils to take such studies as physiology, philosophy, book-keeping and English composition. Scholars in the district school have a tendency to stick to the study of arithmetic, no matter how long or how thoroughly they may have studied it, till they cease going to school, thus using their time to the exclusion of other studies, a general knowledge of which every man and woman needs.

In accordance with the act of the last Legislature, which requires that provision be made "For instructing all pupils in all schools, supported by public money or under State control, in physiology and hygiene, with special reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system," classes in physiology have been formed in schools where it was practicable, with Blaisdell's "Our Bodies and How we Live" as the text book, it being necessary to introduce a new book to comply with the law. In the other schools instruction has been given in the form of talks upon the subject. The act further provides that no certificate shall be granted to any person to teach in the public schools of the State, who has not, by passing satisfactory examination therein, given evidence of be-

ing properly qualified to give such instruction.

A new house for the Primary School has been built in Dist. No. 1. This fills a long felt want, as the building in which this school has been held was totally unfit for the purpose. The new house is pleasant and attractive and the scholars have good reason to be proud of it, while the parents can but feel that the physical health of their children is much safer in the new than in the old building.

A stove has been placed in the lower room in Dist. No. 2, so that the rooms are now properly heated.

In Dist. No. 10 repairs have been made.

There is great need of more school room in Dist. No. 2. The Primary school is so crowded with scholars that the teacher can do neither justice to herself nor the scholars.

One great lack in our district schools is the want of suitable blackboards. No teacher, however well qualified, can do work satisfactory to himself or the scholars unless he can have that working tool so often brought into use in the schoolroom, a blackboard, which he and the scholars can use. The agent in each district every spring should examine the blackboards and see that they are placed in suitable condition for use.

As can be seen by the accompanying synopsis there are a number of districts in town in which the average attendance for the year is 16 or less. It costs just as much to provide school for 10 as for 30, and so it seems to me that it would at least be a matter of economy to adopt the town system and, if possible, support a less number of schools and keep a less number of houses in repair.

The law provides that scholars who live a long distance from the school house be conveyed there, and that a certain amount of the school money can be used for that purpose.

In the main the teachers have given good satisfaction and have done good, faithful work.

In Dist. No. 1 the schools have gradually improved under the management of the present teachers, till they now stand at the head of the schools in town. Never before have they been so well classified in this district as at the present time.

In Dist. No. 5 Miss Johnson's work is deserving of special notice; so also is that of Miss Hatch in Dist. No. 8 and Miss Belle Allen in Dist. No. 13.

In each of these three districts the success of the teacher was especially satisfactory.

One great drawback to the success of the schools in Dists. No. 1 and 2 is the fact that so many parents allow their children to leave school at so early an age and work in the mill or shop.

This is an injury to the child which can never be repaired, and parents should guard against it with the greatest care.

There is no greater gift which parents can give their children. There is no worthier object for which young men and young women can strive. There is nothing, the attainment of which will prove so useful, and at the same time be the source of so great pleasure, as a good education.

Respectfully submitted,

E. C. FROST,

*Supervisor.*

Dist	AGENT.	No. of Am't Dis- tributed. Sch's	No. of At- tend'ee W'ks.	TEACHERS.
1	E. C. Frost,	244	\$1,017.36	34 M. B. Milan M. A. Shaw
2	Nelson Bennett,	266	1,097.26	44 Mrs. S. L. Frost Chas. H. Howell
3	Walter Gram,	44	207.84	29 Mrs. N. A. Harmon
4	Chas. Goodwin,	24	128.64	27 Mrs. L. F. Shaw
5	A. P. Litchfield,	35	166.35	Annie Allen
6	N. Y. Morrill,	28	144.08	Mrs. M. Fogg
7	Fred H. Perkins,	15	99.15	Nellie Goodwin
8	Edwin Davis,	27	139.47	D. B. Crediford
9	Frank N. Butler,	27	139.47	Carrie S. Johnson
10	Geo. Stilling,	17	110.37	Annie E. Kimball
11	Albert Johnson,	12	90.32	Mary T. Frost
12	J. M. Phillips,	3	13.83	Fannie Hatch
13	I. C. Allen,	23	131.03	Myra Goodwin
16	H. J. Chadbourne,	20	120.20	Susie E. Frost
17	Alfred K. Ridley,	25	132.25	Alice Goodwin
18	N. F. Goodwin,	20	92.20	Natt Abbott
20	Horatio Grant,	2	9.22	Alla Ford
				Belle Allen
				Emma Goodwin
				Nellie O. Littlefield
				Sadie Benedict
				E. C. Frost

# TOWN WARRANT.

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To Charles O. Emery, a Constable in the town of Sanford,  
Greeting :

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Sanford, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the town house in said town on Monday, March 8, A. D. 1886, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit :

Article 1.—To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2.—To choose a committee to assort and count the vote.

Article 3.—To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Article 4.—To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance and support of schools, and the poor, and the repair of roads and bridges, and to defray all other town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 5.—To see if the town will direct that the money raised for the repairs of roads and bridges for the ensuing year, be assessed and collected as a money tax.

Article 6.—To see what amount per hour the town will allow men and oxen and horse and plows, while at work on the roads in the Summer, and what amount in Winter; and to see what directions they will give in regard to laying out the said money in Summer and Winter.

Article 7.—To see if the town will vote to purchase one or

more road machines for use on roads of said town, and raise money for the same.

Article 8.—To see what discount the town will make on all taxes collected before January 1, A. D. 1887. Also, what rates of interest the town will charge on all taxes remaining unpaid January 1, A. D. 1887.

Article 9.—To see if the town will vote and raise a sum of money for the purpose of aiding Willard Post No. 70, Grand Army of the Republic of this town, to properly observe Memorial Day, and how much.

Article 10.—To see if the town will vote to accept highways running as follows: from Washington street, so called, near the house of H. J. Stone, by and past the house owned by William H. Nason seventy-one rods, more or less, to Elm street, so called. Also one running from the easterly line of School street, so called, between the house occupied by Charles M. Littlefield and the block, so called, by and past the houses of Hubbard Fogg and others thirty six rods, more or less, to first described proposed highway. Also one running from said School street between the School House lot and house of George B. Goodall, by and past the houses of Willis A. Fogg and others thirty-eight and one half rods, more or less, to said first described proposed way, as they were all laid out by the Selectmen of Sanford, February 6th, A. D. 1886, certificate of which was filed by said Selectmen in the Town Clerk's office, February 27th, A. D. 1886. And to see if the town will vote to raise such a sum of money as may be necessary to build said highways and pay land damages as assessed by said Selectmen.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to accept highways running from Elm street, so called, near house of E. K. Bennett, by and past house of Charles O. Emery, 2nd, 49 rods 12 feet, to a proposed street, called Jackson street, it being a continuation of School street. Also another highway run-

ning from the highway leading from Sanford village to Wells depot, and near the house of J. F. Tebbetts, by and past the houses of General W. Bean, and others, 113 rods, 6 feet, to Mousam River, said street being now known as Emery street. Also another highway leading from Sanford village to Wells depot, near the Jackson house, so called, 140 rods, more or less, to said river, it being now known as Jackson street, as they were laid out by the Selectmen of Sanford, February 27, A. D. 1886, a certificate of which was filed by said Selectmen in the Town Clerk's office, February 27, A. D. 1886. And to see if the town will vote to raise such sums of money as may be necessary to build said highways.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to reimburse William McCrillis, of North Berwick, for damages he alleges was done to his horse and team by an alleged defect in the highway in District No. 23, May 2, 1885, and raise money for the same.

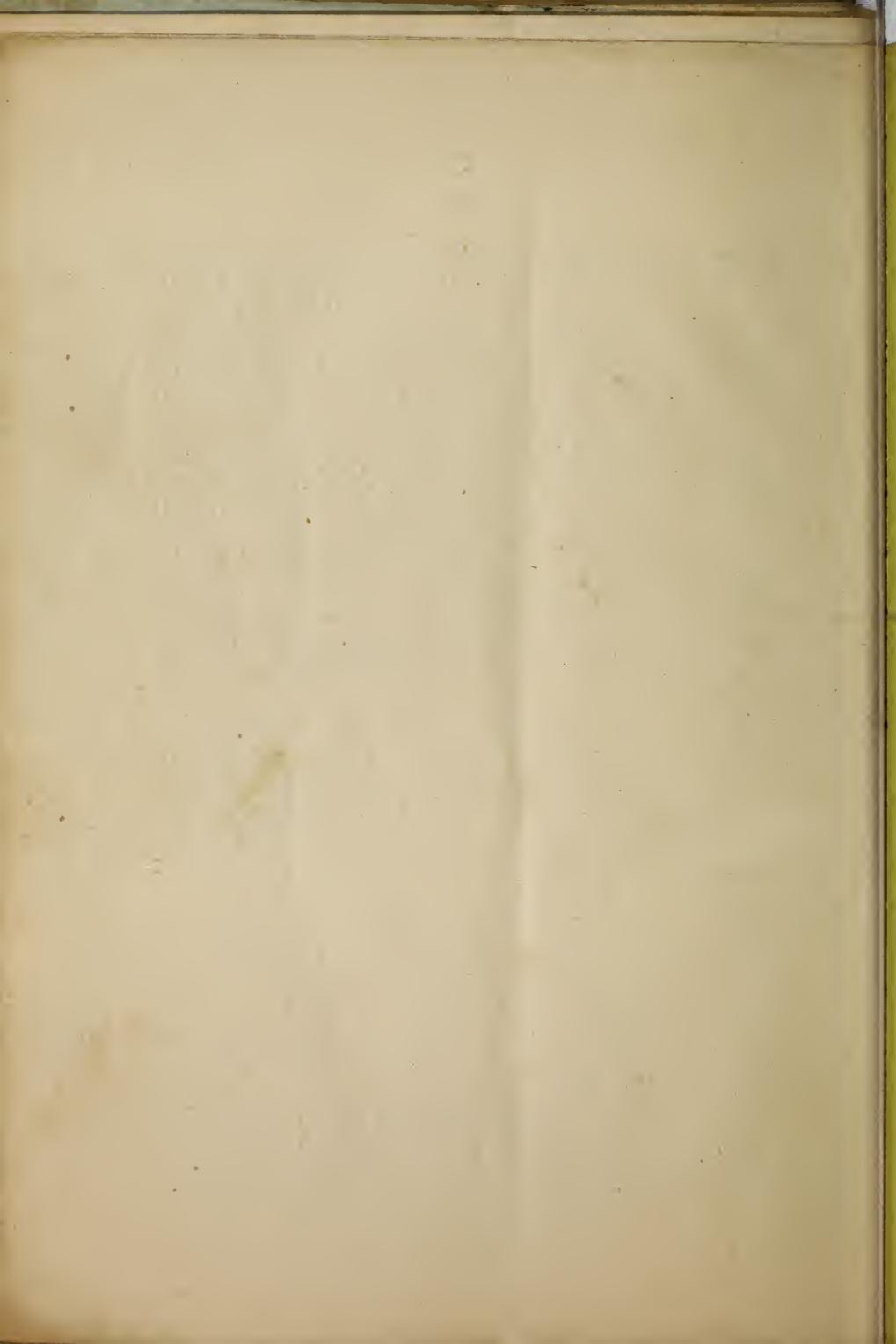
Article 13. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for the repair of the town road leading from Oak Hill to Isaac Furbish's, and direct how the same shall be expended, on petition of Isaac Furbish and seven others.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to tax all dogs in Sanford, and how much.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting and revising the list of voters, at the town house in said Sanford, on Saturday, March 6, A. D. 1886, from 2 o'clock P. M. until 5 o'clock P. M., and 9 A. M. on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Sanford the twenty-seventh day of February, A. D. 1886.

GEORGE BENNETT, } Selectmen of  
JOHN MERRILL, 2nd, } Sanford.





THIS \* MONTH

I shall erect a building where I can display the 100

# CHAMBER SETS

JUST FINISHED.

This will give me over 18000 feet of room for  
the storage and exhibition of my  
immense stock of

Furniture,              Carpets,              Room Paper,  
Crockery Ware,        Window Shades,    Fixtures, &c.,

— AND —

## SANFORD MILLS REMNANTS.

You will find my stock complete in every department, and I am bound to make as

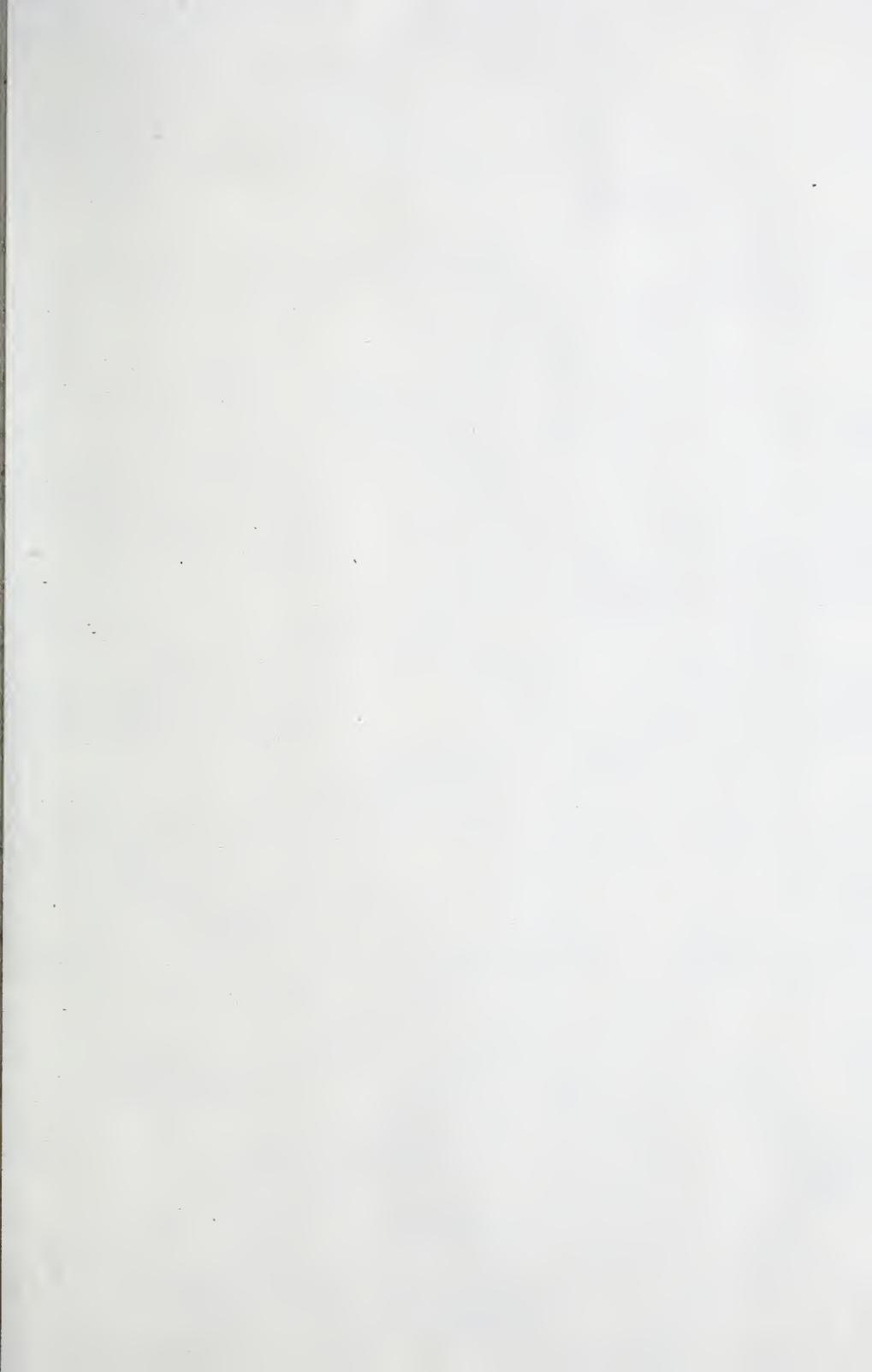
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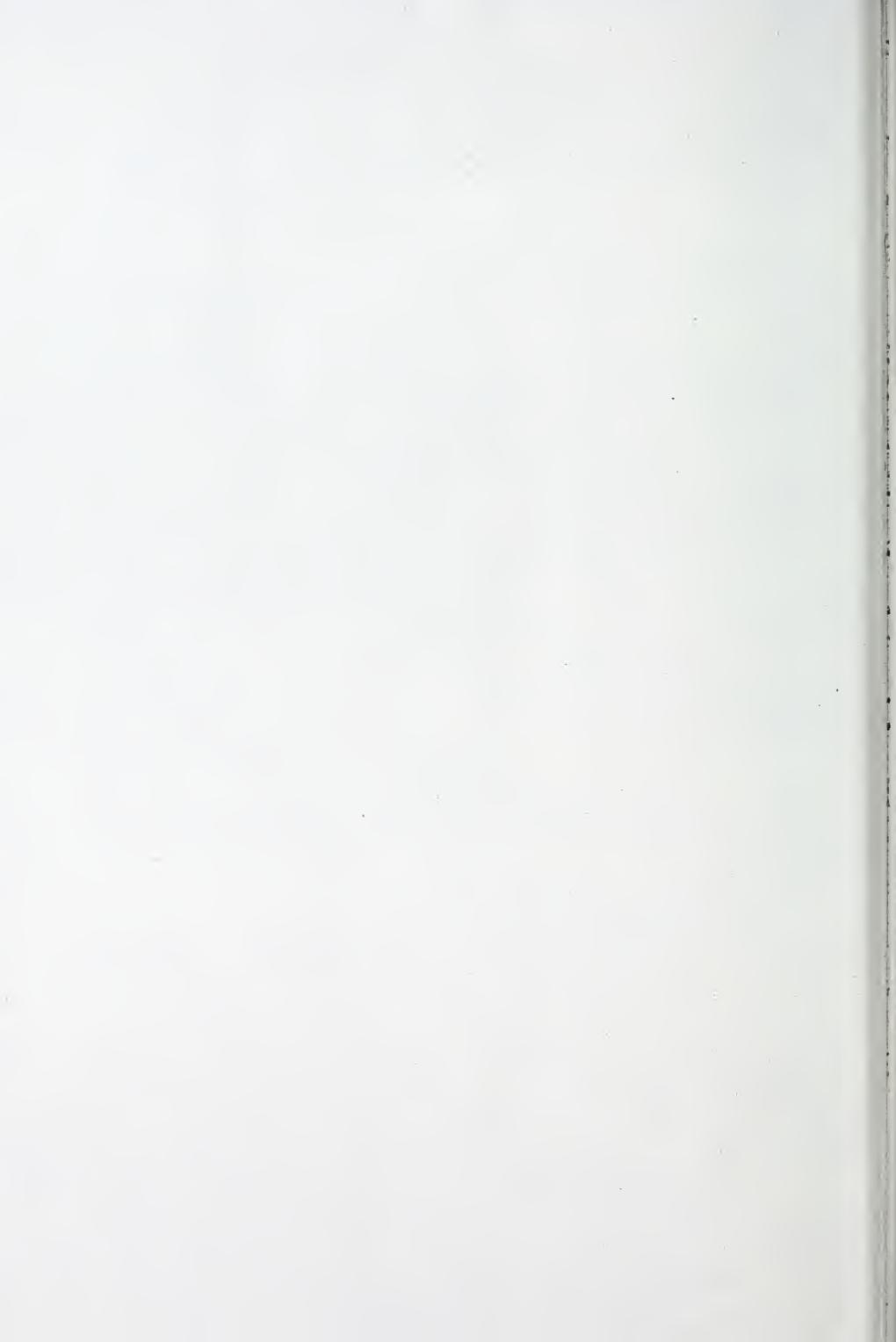
AS CAN BE FOUND IN THE STATE.

S. B. EMERY,

Sanford, Me.

MARCH, 1886.





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